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IS IT MURDER OR SUICIDE

William M. Puls Dies at St. Mary's Hospital From Effects of Bullet Wound in Head.

Upon returning from a trip to Woodboro last Friday afternoon Lewis Bellile noticed a man writhing, apparently in great agony, near the road a short distance from the "Soo" crossing. As he had a lady with him he did not stop his rig but upon entering the city gave the police information as to what he had seen, returning a few minutes later and driving Chief Matteson to the spot where he had left the man.

A young man was found lying at one side of the road with a bullet wound in the top of his head and a 38 calibre revolver lying near. The wounded man could not speak or open his mouth, the bullet having entered that part of the brain controlling muscular action. He was carefully lifted into the rig and the chief supported him while he drove into the city. He stopped the rig at the city lock-up and the man was lifted out and placed on a mattress. Dr. Welch was called and after making an examination of the wound and probing it stated that the injury was fatal and that nothing could be done. A short time later the man was taken to the hospital where he was made as easy as possible until he passed away shortly after 5:00 o'clock Sunday morning.

From letters on the man's person it was apparent that his name was Wm. Puls and that he lived at Arnott, near Stevens Point. Upon the back of an envelope was written in a scrawling hand "John —— shot me for $22.00." Other correspondence in his pocket conveyed the information that he had planned suicide, that he had taken a pint of whiskey and that he wished that he had taken a pail full. The address of his mother and brothers was given on the paper and he advised them all not to feel sorry. The writing was almost unintelligible and it was impossible to make out some of it.

The chief of police of Stevens Point was notified of the young man's condition and was advised as to the written address of the mother which was given in one of the letters. The mother and a brother came here the following day and both believe the case to be one of foul play. The mother stated that a short time before the young man left home he come into possession of $200.00 which was his share of the proceeds of the farm property which was recently sold. How much money he had with him when he arrived here his folks did not know. But six cents were found on his person. To use the mother's words "William was of too happy a disposition to end his life."

The coroner's inquest was waived by the relatives of the dead man as they desired to ship the body to Arnott for burial, the deceased being a member of the Lutheran church there.

The mother stated that the young man was twenty-one years of age and that he had been born at Arnott on a farm, that this was his first visit here and she had no idea as to what brought him to Rhinelander. She said that he had a gold watch when he left home but no watch was found on his person. He left Arnott alone and apparently in the best of spirits.

The rambling letters found on the dead man's person were very mysterious to his family.

The Badger Dance.

The second annual dancing party given by the Badger club at Gilligan's hall Friday evening was attended by about sixty couples. The hall was very prettily decorated for the occasion with evergreens and bunting. Cozy corners were arranged at both ends of the room. A live badger was on exhibition in a cage and proved quite an attraction. The floor was in fine condition and the light fantastic was tripped until after one o'clock. Bruso brother's orchestra furnished the music rendering a number of late selections. Everyone present reported having had a good time.

Mike Dunn Injured.

Mike Dunn, a "Soo" line freight brakeman between Minneapolis and Sault Ste. Marie, met with an accident this week which will put him off duty for some time. The young man was knocked off a moving box car to the ground, badly injuring his ankle and heel. He arrived at his home in this city yesterday where he is now confined. A runaway car crashing into the one on which he was standing caused the accident. Mike says he is thankful that the accident did not prove more serious.

Boys To Make Money.

The Milwaukee Journal is about to make an offer to boys in every part of the state whereby they can make from $1.50 to $5.00 per week by working only after school hours and on Saturdays. Write to the Journal, Milwaukee, Wis., before some other boy gets started.

NORTH-WESTERN MAIL CLERK KILLED.

Body Found on Railroad Tracks Near Appleton Terribly Mangled.

George Shores, a postal clerk running between Appleton and Ashland on the Ashland division of the North-Western railway, was run down by a freight train and killed near the Ashland division depot at Appleton Monday, while on his way to his mail car standing in the railway yards. The body was dragged 100 yards and run over again by a passenger train coming from the other direction about an hour later. He was cut into several pieces, mangled beyond recognition and the clothing stripped completely from the body. The remains were found soon after 4 o'clock by the night operator at the depot, who first saw a severed hand clutching the mail car keys lying on the track directly in front of the depot.

Shores was about 30 years old and lived on a farm near Stiles. He was married about three years ago and leaves a widow and one child. The remains will be sent to Stiles for burial.

THE NEW COUNCIL MEETS

City Fathers Transact Necessary Business —Few Changes in List of Officials— School Board Appointments.

Rhinelander's new board of aldermen met in executive session last Tuesday night and cleaned up such matters as came before it with neatness and dispatch except in the case of electing a fire chief when a diversity of opinion as to fitness of the different candidates was encountered that caused the matter of who was to be chief to hang in the balance for some time.

W. H. Gilligan alderman from the Fifth ward was elected President of the council. He introduced the mayor who addressed the meeting. His remarks covered the progress the city has made in the year past and were attentively listened to. The message was very favorable in tone and was interesting. We regret that we have not sufficient space this week to print the message in full.

The only change in the list of city officials was in the election of A. J. Lytle as fire chief. He was opposed by J. D. Cole and William Holmes and the contest was spirited, Lytle being elected on the 34th ballot.

The resignation of Chas. D. Bronson as school commissioner and Chas. Asmundson as policeman were accepted.

D. T. Matteson was re-appointed chief of police; Pat Gleason was re-appointed policeman; Mike Doud was appointed to fill the position on the force vacated by Chas. Asmundson.

School commissioners were named as follows: First ward, George W. Porter; Second ward, Hans Anderson; Fourth ward, Mrs. John Barnes; At large, H. C. Braeger; Fifth ward, Arthur Taylor.

Rhinelander Should Join.

Steps have recently been inaugurated toward organizing a Wisconsin Valley Base Ball League. Providing this project materializes, there is but little reason why Rhinelander should not join with the other Valley towns. Wausau, Merrill, Stevens Point, Marshfield and Grand Rapids will be represented, but up-to date the base ball enthusiasts in this city have shown little interest in the matter. At one time Rhinelander boasted of one of the best base ball teams in the country. Surely enthusiasm in the sport has not died out and with little trouble enough good men could be found to warrant the organizing of a first-class ball team. Let some of the local "fans" consider the proposition and get the boys interested.

Death of S. D. Woodworth.

S. D. Woodworth, aged 78 years and father of Mrs. E. S. Shepard, passed away at his home in this city Tuesday morning, April 21, death resulting from old age infirmities.

The old gentleman came here with his wife last fall from New London. He purchased a home and other property here and during his stay has made many friends who regret his demise.

Mrs. Woodworth, the wife, has also been in poor health for some time.

The funeral services were held today from the Shepard residence and were largely attended. The floral offerings were beautiful. Rev. A. G. Wilson officiated.

Six Months for Theft.

A young man by the name of Frank Willard was arrested Friday on a charge made against him by Walter Hinnis, for the theft of a suit of clothes. In the afternoon he was arraigned before Judge Brown, plead guilty and was sentenced to a six month's term in the county jail. Willard appeared in Municipal court some time ago on a similar charge going under the name of Bonnie His face however was familiar to the judge who thought it best to deal with him more severely on this occasion.

TAKE MARRIAGE VOWS

Frank Sawtell and Miss Ethel LaSelle Are United in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony.

Another one of Rhinelander's leading society girls changed her station last night and embarked upon the sea of matrimony as many others of her companions have before.

The occasion which marked the change was one that will be remembered by all who attended the ceremony, which, while simple and in keeping with the religious creed of both of the contracting parties, was yet impressive and very handsomely carried out.

The hour of the wedding was set for 8:00 o'clock in the evening, the ceremony taking place in the main parlor which had been trimmed and prepared for the occasion earlier in the day by E. A. Forbes of the Rhinelander Lighting Company. The decorations consisted of palms, ferns, cut flowers and arches of pine, the whole effect being very pleasing to the eye.

The bride, Miss Ethel LaSelle, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. LaSelle, and sister of Mrs. H. C. O'Conner, is one of the city's most popular girls, a young lady of pleasing countenance and manner, gifted with a sweet and well trained soprano voice that has been often heard by our people. She has grown to womanhood here and has scores of friends who wish her every happiness in the new life that she has chosen.

The groom, Frank C. Sawtell, is a young man of sterling worth, clean in his habits as he has been in his dealings with men, all of whom respect and honor him. For years he has been associated with the Paine Lumber Company of Oshkosh, being one of the firm of Wilson & Co., which has been heavily interested in logging operations in this neighborhood. He is a native of Oshkosh where his father is prominently identified with the Paine Company.

Loengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Mary McQueen, opened the ceremony which was performed by Rev. A. G. Wilson of the First Congregational church. The words which united the young couple were few and simple and were listened to with rapt attention by the large company of guests.

The bride was attended by Miss Helen Alban who acted as bridesmaid and the groom by Milton Bacon of Oshkosh who filled the best man's station. The bride's dress was of white voile and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Miss Alban wore a dress of blue silk mull very prettily trimmed with white lace. She carried bridal roses.

E. H. Meikeljohn and E. J. LaSelle acted as ushers and were assisted by the two little sons of Arthur Taylor.

The wedding collation was served in the dining room of the hotel in courses and was very dainty.

Many handsome and valuable gifts were received, among them being hand embroidered linen from Japan, hand painted china, cut glass sets, burnt leather novelties, etc. The number and character of the offerings testified to the high esteem in which the young couple is held.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawtell left on the south bound limited for Chicago at which city and Oshkosh ten days will be spent. Upon their return they will locate at Stella Junction where the groom will be engaged in logging during the summer. They will return to Rhinelander in September and will live in the cottage on King street now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ashton.

Those is attendance from Oshkosh were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sawtell, son John and daughter Emma, father and mother, brother and sister of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Harmon and little son Robert, a brother-in-law and sister of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sawtell, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lawrence and son Harvey and Mr. Milton Bacon; L. H. Wheeler of Hazelhurst and Geo. E. O'Conner of Eagle River.

The new bride and groom have the well wishes of all in their new venture. The New North predicts a happy and prosperous married life.

Brown-Hafner Nuptials.

The wedding of Mr. Albert Hafner and Mrs. Margaret Brown occurred at the home of the bride Wednesday evening, April 22, Rev. Wiltsie officiating. The ceremony was followed by a luncheon for the guests. While only the relatives of the contracting parties were present, the general public, by whom the young people are highly respected unite in felicitating them on the occasion.

We are fortunate in that Mr. and Mrs. Hafner will continue to make their home among us.

The groom holds a responsible position in the John Godkin lumber office here.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Uncle Josh Spruceby.

Recognizing the tendency of the times to cheapen prices for sensible healthy amusements, the managers of the "Uncle Josh Spruceby" company which appears at the opera house on April 27th have decided to appear this season at popular prices 25, 35 and 50 cents. The wisdom of this move appears to have been justified by the packed houses that greet the company everywhere. The play is an enjoyable New England comedy-drama, and for the past seven years has appeared only at regular prices all over the country. Special scenery, the great Saw Mill scene, the operatic orchestra and a first-class company are carried, and no attempt has been made to cheapen the attraction on account of playing at popular prices.

The trout season opened Wednesday of last week and will continue from now until September. Deerbrook and other neighboring streams abound with the speckled beauties and fishermen from the city will have plenty of sport during the summer.

DOINGS AT HIGH SCHOOL

The Girls' Literary society had a business meeting Wednesday afternoon. At this meeting they decided to look up a location to play out door basket ball. This is the first time in some years that the girls of the high school have taken any part in athletics and it is hoped that they will continue to do so in the future.

The Boys' Literary and Athletic society held their last meeting of the year last Monday afternoon. The meetings have been discontinued this year on account of all the boys spare time being needed in preparing for the field meet.

The vaulting pole, shot and hammer which were purchased in Chicago arrived Saturday. The other articles needed, such as hurdles and standards for pole vaulting, will be made by the boys this week. The meet is to be held here May 23.

The pictures for the grades were shown the pupils last week. These pictures were selected by the different grades and show that the great masters are not unknown to the pupils in the public schools.

At a meeting of the high school boys who intend to participate in the field meet with Antigo and Tomahawk, Abner Conro was elected track captain.

Miss Swain's Second English class will finish Sohrab and Rustum this week. It has not been decided what the class shall take up next.

A meeting of the Juniors was held Wednesday afternoon to see about the preparations for the Junior Hop.

A large and complete map of England arrived last week for use in the English History class.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Recorded With the Register of Deeds for Week Ending Tuesday, April 21.

Following are the real estate transfers in Oneida County for the week ending Tuesday, April 21, as recorded in the office of the register of deeds:

Gilkey & Anson Co. to Kate Fier, Lands in Sec. 21, Tp. 36 N, R. 10.	$1.00
James E. Malone to F. H. Roethle, Lands in Sec. 4, Tp. 39 N, R. 6.	$1.00
Howard W. Towne to Helen F. Towne Lands in Sec. 9, Tp. 36, R. 9	$100.00
Anton Carlson to Herman Gustafson, E½ of Lot 16, Blk. 9 of S. H. Alban's addition	$575.00
E. M. Kemp to Minnie A. Kemp, his wife, Lots in South Park addition	$1.00
Juliette A. Crofoot to H. E. Keptler, Lots 1, 2, 8 of Blk. 1, also lots 6, 11, 12 of Blk. 2, also lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 21 of Blk. 3, also lots 3, 10, 11, 12 of Blk. 4, also lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15 of Blk. 5, also lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 of Blk. 6, all of Blk. 7 except lot 2, also lots 1, 2, 11, 13, 15 of Blk. 8, also all of Blk. 9 of G. S. Cook's addition	$1.00
Alice Stapleton to John Hess, lands in Sec. 16, Tp. 36 N, R. 9	$1.00
Stapleton & Barnes to E. S. Shepard, Lands in Sec. 22, Tp. 36 N, R. 9	$507.12
Edward Maloney to John Hess, timber in Sec. 17, Tp. 36 of R. 9	$1.00
John Hess to Lemar E. Chase, Lands in Sec. 17, Tp. 36 N, R. 9	$200.00
Henry Wahker to Stevens Lbr. Co., Lands in Sec. 1, Tp. 37, R. 7	$400.00
Lake Region Land Co. to James Sikka, Lands in Sec. 18, Tp. 36 N, R. 10	$30.00
Chas. Asmundsen to A. E. Asmundsen, Lands in Sec. 35, Tp. 37 N, R. 9	$325.00
H. L. Waite to A. F. Smith, Lots 8, 10, Sec. 11, Lands in Sec. 14, 27, 22 all in Tp. 39 N, R. 8	$1000.00
Henry Heys to L. F. Kleske, Lot 4, Sec. 15, Tp. 39 N, R. 9	$160.00

Dies at the Hospital.

The death of Dan Carney occurred at St. Mary's hospital last Friday morning from cerebral hemorrhage. The dead man was fifty-seven years of age and unmarried. For several years past he has worked in the lumber camps of the Ross Lumber Co., near Arbor Vitae, and was well known in that section and also had a slight acquaintance in this city. James Carney, a brother, arrived in the city Saturday from Chilton and left for that city the same evening with the remains, where the burial took place.

NEW NORTH.

RHINELANDER PRINTING COMPANY

RHINELANDER, - WISCONSIN

There are a good many big families out west, and if they are all going to load the president up with their photographs he will begin to wish before he gets home that a portion of the race would "suicide."

About 16 per cent. of the members of the next congress wore the blue or the gray during the civil war. The proportion in the senate is 29 per cent., equally divided between former union and confederate soldiers.

Deep borings near Wilkesbarre, Pa., have resulted in the discovery of nearly 20 new veins of anthracite coal running from four to 11 feet in thickness and estimated to contain about 500,000,000 tons of coal. The users of anthracite need not begin to shiver just yet.

Eighty skeletons were found in the hulk of the Spanish flagship Reina Christina, which has just been floated and beached in Manila bay. And these, no less than the 13 shell holes found in the hull, tell the story of the quick and awful havoc wrought by Dewey's fleet on that memorable May day morning.

Visitors to Niagara falls notice the dwindling volume of the cataract, owing to the diversion of water for industrial purposes. The danger cry from the scenic standpoint has been raised. The growth of industries at the falls promises a further thinning of the great water-spill. If this keeps on there will be more to see on shore at Niagara than in the stream.

Under the irrigation law of the last congress the secretary of the interior has approved of five irrigation projects recommended by the United States geological survey. They are located one each in Wyoming, Colorado, Nevada, Montana and Arizona. It is estimated that they will render possible the irrigation of about 1,000,000 acres of land, at an average cost of $7.50 an acre.

A New York department store is to publish a magazine for the benefit of its employes. Each department in the store will be represented in the magazine, and the editorial staff is to consist of one person from each floor, with "specials" whose instructions will be to look out for novelties, whether in ideas or merchandise. There will also be a "society" column.

Mr. Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, estimates that the new Irish land scheme will involve $500,000,000 and possibly $750,000,000. This will not be a gift, the assisted tenants paying three and one-fourth per cent. peranum on the loans from the government, but it will be much the most liberal and stupendous scheme of the kind ever inaugurated by any government.

A Pennsylvania paper notes the celebration by a woman of that state of the completion of her fifty-third year of service as toll collector for a turnpike company. That such a thing could happen indicates that Pennsylvanians are "easy." Out this way the public would have then to inquire, long before the end of 53 years, how many times over it had paid for that turnpike and to demand that it be made a free road.

Pessimistic persons who are always seeing trouble ahead may dismiss at least one of their fears, according to scientists. These gentlemen say there is no danger of the fuel supply in this country giving out—that anthracite will last at least 200 years, while the store of bituminous coal is practically inexhaustible. Meanwhile new methods of producing heat and power are coming into use, electricity playing a leading part among them.

A Wilkesbarre (Pa.) woman advocates an extension of the curfew law, making it apply to men. She wants an ordinance passed providing that husbands shall be home by midnight, and punishing those who stay out later. Unless the council is composed of hopeless bachelors, she will hardly get the measure, though she is described as one of the most prominent and influential ladies of the Pennsylvania city. But just think what women might do if they were themselves members of city councils!

The death of Brigham Young, president of the twelve apostles of the Mormon church and its official head, causes a vacancy that may not be easily filled. His father, the first Brigham and founder of the church, was succeeded in the presidency of the church by Lorenzo Snow, who was succeeded by Brigham Young, Jr., as the logical candidate. The second Brigham was born in 1836, and was the eldest son of a large family. The three presidents of the church have been able men, but the line of succession may not always furnish such.

The French physicist Curie reports that the recently discovered metal called radium possesses the extraordinary property of continuously emitting heat without chemical change and without change in structure. Inasmuch as heat is now regarded as an effect of vibration it is not strange that there should be no loss of substance or charge in structure in the body from which this effect proceeds. The puzzle is to find out what force maintains the vibration and its source and to account for the susceptibility of this particular substance to its action.

A dispatch from Rome foreshadows a large emigration of French Catholics to the United States. If the French laws against religious orders continue to be enforced probably 200,000 persons of both sexes belonging to about 50 different communities will come to this country. The laws referred to were enacted in retaliation for alleged intrigues of the orders against the French republic, though no proof of the charge has been furnished. Enforcement of the laws has involved the closing of many schools and churches. Immigration is becoming enormous.

A WEEK'S HISTORY

The Important Happenings of a Week Briefly Told.

IN ALL PARTS OF THE UNION

All the Latest News of Interest from Washington, From the East, the West and the South.

THE LATEST FOREIGN DISPATCHES

FROM WASHINGTON.

It is shown by a crop review that April weather thus far has been ideal for growth but unfavorable to farm work.

The frequent accidents to American warships are causing alarm among officials.

The gunners of the battleship Alabama are the champion marksmen of the American navy.

In Washington the house given to Gen. Phil Sheridan has been sold for $55,000 for Mrs. Sheridan, who is said to have needed the money.

The imports have exceeded a billion dollars in a year for the first time in the history of the government.

THE EAST.

At New London, Conn., the steamship Minnesota, the largest cargo and passenger boat yet built, was launched.

The Oswego, Erie and Champlain canals will be opened for navigation on May 2.

Discovery has just been made that the battleship Illinois was seriously injured by a wave three months ago.

Exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the seven days ended on the 17th aggregated $1,112,725,007. The decrease compared with the corresponding week of last year was 15.1.

In the United States there were 160 business failures during the seven days ended on the 17th, against 122 the same week in 1902.

The wife of Robert Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, died at Bensonhurst, N. Y., of pneumonia.

The weekly trade reviews say business has been retarded by cold, wet weather of last few days.

At his home in New York J. Pierpont Morgan celebrated his sixty-sixth birthday.

In the National league the percentages of the baseball clubs for the week ended on the 19th were: Pittsburg, 1.000; Chicago, .500; Boston, .500; Brooklyn, .500; New York, .500; Philadelphia, .500; St. Louis, .500; Cincinnati, .000.

Dr. Francis A. Horton, pastor of the Temple Presbyterian church in Philadelphia, was stricken with apoplexy in the pulpit and died.

For April immigration returns break all records, 64,000 aliens having arrived in 18 days.

In New York George J. Jordan killed his wife and son and himself.

At the age of 63 years Jesse G. Hawley, proprietor of the Reading Eagle, of which he was one of the founders in 1868, died in Reading, Pa.

WEST AND SOUTH.

The death of Col. James Powell, U. S. A., veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, occurred at his home in Peoria, Ill., after an illness of 20 years.

In Chicago Dr. Adolf Lorenz removed the plaster cast from Lolita Armour's hip and found the operation is a success and the child is able to walk.

In Milwaukee Henry Herman, capitalist and promoter of vast enterprises, is missing, leaving an alleged indebtedness of $600,000.

William Dudley and the three children of Ora Eddington were drowned in the flood at Clinton, Ind.

At Fort Wayne, Ind., Harry Kline assaulted May Jackson and then killed her and then took his own life.

At Eugene, Ore., Elliott Lyons who, on February 6, shot and killed Sheriff W. W. Withers, was hanged.

In Butler, Mo., Dr. James L. Gartrell, 68 years old, once a member of the Texas legislature and probate judge, was hanged for the murder of D. R. Donegan in March, 1901.

At Kansas City, Mo., John Taylor was hanged for the murder on March 2, 1901, of Ruth Nollard, his former sweetheart.

For the murder of Robert Martin on December 15, 1900, at a country dance, Charles May was hanged at St. Joseph, Mo.

The Hammond police have been ordered by Gov. Durbin, of Indiana, to stop pool selling at the Lakeside race track at Roley.

In St. Paul the will of Mrs. Fannie S. Wilder, conveying $4,000,000 to local charities, has been filed.

The president left Fort Yellowstone for Norris geysers.

Lieut. Gov. Lee, of Missouri, is missing and is accused by St. Louis officials with distributing $27,000 in baking powder trust boodle among state legislators.

Ex-Congressman A. S. McClure died suddenly from heart disease at Wooster, O., aged 64 years.

At Fort Payne, Ala., the People's Bank and Trust company, having branches at Attala and Collinsville, has suspended.

Near Kalkaska, Mich., John Victor, his wife, and Maggie Fuetz, Mrs. Victor's sister, were drowned by the capsizing of a boat.

Harry C. Kline, a grocer at Fort Wayne, Ind., fatally shot 12-year-old Lizzie Jackson, with whom he was infatuated, and then killed himself.

At Bakersfield, Cal., James McKinney, an outlaw, and Deputy Sheriff Tibbetts were killed in a battle and Constable Packard was fatally wounded.

In St. Louis seven members of the last Missouri legislature were indicted for bribery.

Burglars wrecked the safe of the Allen state bank at Allen, Kan., and escaped with $2,700.

At Houghton, Mich., John H. Molesworth, of Chicago, shot Mrs. Bridget Maher and killed himself.

In Baltimore Rev. Edward J. Drinkhouse, 72 years old, for 18 years editor of the Methodist Protestant, died at his home.

At Topeka, Kan., Mrs. Carrie Nation has opened her home to wives of destitute drunkards.

In Indiana every window glass factory has closed, 20,000 skilled workmen being thrown out of employment for an indefinite period.

At Newport News the armored cruiser West Virginia was launched, Miss Catherine White, daughter of the governor, acting as sponsor.

The war department will buy 110 acres more land at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

It is said that Henry Herman, a Milwaukee contractor, is involved $900,000 through funds borrowed to carry out various schemes.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

For killing an artilleryman who failed to salute him properly Ensign Hessler, of the German navy, will be tried by court-martial.

During a storm at Marseilles, France, which has not been equaled for 15 years, 40 vessels foundered.

During a squall off Weymouth, England, Shamrock III., Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for the America's cup, was dismantled and Sir Thomas was slightly hurt and one man drowned.

The death of Sir Oliver Mowat, lieutenant governor of Ontario, occurred in Ottawa, aged 83 years.

With three guests M. Emeandri, a Paris aeronaut, traveled 450 miles by balloon, from Paris to Arles, in 15 hours.

A hurricane struck Berlin and many persons were injured and the damage to property was great.

Advices from Minister Conger from Peking announce the suppression of an attempt to reorganize the Boxer movement in the district of Yutien.

In the Philippines the army is to be reduced to 15,000.

LATER NEWS.

Prof. John H. Finley, Ph. D., LL. D., of Princeton, N. J., was unanimously elected president of the College of the City of New York. Prof. Finley will assume his new duties Sept. 1.

The Indian institute at Brantford, Ont., was destroyed by fire. A panic prevailed, but all the inmates safely escaped.

Miss Georgia Caine, prima donna in "Peggy from Paris," now running at the Studebaker theater, in Chicago, slipped in her entrance in the first act and sprained her hip so seriously that she had to be supported during her opening song.

Judge Sanborn, of the U. S. court, decides that the Northern Securities company may pay dividends pending the appeal to the supreme court.

Twenty additional cases of typhoid fever have broken out in Stanford university, California.

Judge Carlack, of the court of first instance, is dead at Cebu of cholera. He contracted the disease in Bohol. The deceased was a native of Illinois and a valued member of the judiciary.

A tornado struck St. Paul, Kan., destroying a great amount of property and injuring five persons, four of whom cannot recover.

Colonel William R. Arthur, formerly president of the Illinois Central road died on his farm near Urbana, Ill., aged 82 years. He was an engineer of great ability.

Private Limaire, of Company I, Twenty-fifth infantry, shot and killed Sergt. Yours of the same company at Valentine, Neb., as the result of a quarrel.

Twelve convicts at Wilmington, N. C., made a desperate dash for liberty. One was killed, two wounded and four were captured.

The warships of the United States European squadron will visit Kiel, Germany during the yachting week.

The immense packing house of the Pacific Meat company at Tacoma, was destroyed by fire causing a loss of $200,000.

While running at a rate of 50 miles an hour the fast train on the Erie railroad collided with a freight at Redhouse, N. Y. Eight persons were killed or burned to death and a score injured.

Fire in the National Casket factory, at Rochester, N. Y., did $75,000 worth of damage.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

Bank deposits have increased 85 per cent. in ten years.

It is understood that Sir Thomas Lipton is to raise for a peerage as well as the American cup.

Dr. L. Gideon Archambault, late of Providence, R. I., left $40,000 to found a home for the aged poor.

Andrew Carnegie and others are said to have promised richer endowments for a university in Pittsburg.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, says he will not accept the democratic nomination for governor of Ohio.

John K. Lincoln, a distant relative of Abraham Lincoln, died at the home of his son-in-law in Kansas City, Mo., aged 82 years.

Dr. Lapponi declares that the pope is an excellent patient, observing with promptitude the prescriptions submitted to him.

The king of Siam is reported as saying that he knows full well that his kingdom will some day be goblled by the English or the French.

Thirty-three acres of land near Indiana Harbor, Ind., have been bought by the Illinois Steel company as a site for $1,500,000 cement works.

American methods and morality are severely criticised in reports of the British labor delegates recently returned to London from the United States.

The post office of New York city has 22 stations and 159 substations. In it is handled daily 450 tons of mail matter. Fourteen stamp-canceling machines each handle 28,000 letters an hour.

Indictments against Rear Admiral Stirling, Capt. Lowndes, Lieut. Smith, Capt. Crable, of the army, and others, are said to have been voted by a Porto Rico grand jury for alleged smuggling.

The advance guard of Dowie's invasion is quartered in a boarding-house in New York city. They say they come to secure lodgings for 4,000 missionaries who are to come from Chicago in October.

Miss Amelia Higginson, president of the old maids' convention of New York, condemned President Roosevelt for his words on "race suicide" and advised him to leave the baby question to the women of this country.

CROP REPORT.

Corn Planting Is Progress in Kansas and Other States—The Winter Wheat Crop.

Washington, April 15.—The weather bureau Tuesday issued the following weekly summary of crop conditions: Corn planting is in progress as far north as Kansas, southern Missouri, Tennessee and North Carolina; farther south planting is well advanced and is completed in some sections.

The condition of winter wheat is generally excellent, and it has made splendid progress since the first of the month; in the upper Ohio valley, however, the freeze of the 4th and 5th caused some injury. On the whole the condition of the crop in the winter wheat belt east of the Rocky mountains is more promising than for years. In California the outlook is also promising, but in Oregon and Washington the condition of the crop is less favorable, especially in the last named state, where about one-third of the acreage will be resown.

Spring wheat seeding is nearly completed in Iowa and Nebraska, and is progressing well in South Dakota; none has yet been sown in North Dakota and in northern Minnesota, but in southern Minnesota some has been sown on rolling lands.

Oats continue promising in the southern states and seeding is nearly completed or well advanced in the central valleys, where the early sown is coming up well.

STORM WORKS HAVOC.

The Atlantic Coast Swept by the Worst Storm in Years and Immense Damage Is Done.

New York, April 16.—The entire Atlantic coast has been assailed by the fiercest gale of many years. For 24 hours the resorts along the Jersey shore have been bombarded by a raging northeaster of a fury unequaled since 1893, and which at this time shows no indications of abating. Wednesday morning the tide had reached a point beyond which it had not gone in two decades.

Old residents of the suburbs of Brooklyn near Coney Island said the storm at Brighton and Coney Island was the most severe in 20 years. The east wind tossed up enormous waves along the beach, and raised the level of the water until it was up to the first floor of the new iron pier at Coney Island. The new bulkhead at the foot of Ocean Parkway was wrecked in several places and board walks, bathhouses and other small structures were washed away. The new bulkhead was nearing completion after being under construction all winter.

Seabright, N. J., April 16.—The wind and high surf did much damage here. Several houses and the board walk were damaged. The surf washed over the tracks of the New Jersey Southern railway and traffic was suspended.

A FIERY FATE.

Aged Sisters Perish In Fire Which Destroyed Their Home on Wisconsin Farm.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 17.—A special to the Sentinel from Tomahawk, Wis., says: Fire early Thursday totally destroyed the home of and burned to death Misses Phoebe and Libbie Heeley, at Bear Creek, six miles south of this place. The two sisters were 75 and 86 years of age, respectively. They lived alone on a large farm which they owned. A high wind at the time fanned the flames and before assistance arrived all was destroyed. It was thought that they had a large sum of money in the house and that they were robbed and murdered and the fire started to cover the traces of the crime. A coroner's inquest will be held next Saturday.

St. Paul, Minn., April 17.—A Little Falls, Minn., special to the Dispatch says: Mrs. Rose Poissant, a widow, who has resided in this county 25 years, was accidentally burned to death at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ledger Plant, in Ripley town, this county, Wednesday.

MAY END LONG WAR.

John Redmond Believes Parliament Will Accept Amendments to Land Bill.

Dublin, April 17.—By an unanimous vote the Irish national convention which met here Thursday accepted in principle the Irish land bill introduced in the house of commons by Mr. Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, and entrusted to John Redmond and his party the task of securing in the house of commons that "serious amendment in various points of vital importance" which the national convention may consider essential.

John Redmond says amendments adopted by the nationalist convention will be accepted by the landlords' and tenants' conference, which practically insures the passage of the Irish land bill.

Wed Amid Splendor.

Newport, R. I., April 15.—The wedding of Reginald C. Vanderbilt, of New York, the youngest son of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, and Miss Kathleen G. Neilson, also of New York, which occurred at "Arleigh" at noon Tuesday, was a brilliant as well as an early beginning of the social season of 1903 at Newport. As the marriage took place in a private villa, it lacked much of the splendor which usually attends a church function. About 150 guests, nearly all from New York, were present.

Wins Handicap Shoot.

Kansas City, April 17.—M. Defenderfer, of Wood River, Neb., shooting from the 16-yard line, on Thursday won the fourth grand American handicap at inanimate targets, with a score of 94 out of a possible one hundred. In winning the event, he defeated practically all of the expert marksmen of the country, as all of the shooters of note were entered.

Son of Ex-Gov. Boies Dead.

Waterloo, Ia., April 18.—Louis Boies, son of Gov. Boies and a member of the law firm of Boies & Boies, died Friday of typhoid fever, aged 29.

MAKE THEIR REPORT.

Synopsis of Views of Delegation of British Workingmen on Labor Conditions in America.

London, April 18.—The report of the commission of British workingmen who were taken to the United States at the end of last year by Alfred Mosely, a wealthy Englishman, to study conditions of labor there, was issued Friday. It presents the views of 23 delegates who separately synopsize their deductions resulting from the American trip. The report shows a lack of unanimity, except that all agree that the British workman has nothing to learn from the American workman, while British employers are not as far advanced as the Americans in the treatment of their employes. The reports of the delegates differ concerning the up to date methods of production, though the consensus of opinion is largely in favor of America where "the distinctive feature is a hankering for the latest machinery and the best method. The American employer and employed realize more fully than the Britishers that brains and not brawn count." The delegates unite in extolling the hospitable reception they met with everywhere from all classes, which was so marked that it interfered somewhat with their investigations.

MEETS WITH ACCIDENT.

New Challenger Shamrock III. Dismasted in a Squall and One Man Drowned.

Weymouth, England, April 18.—Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for the America's cup was dismasted in a squall Friday, shortly after leaving this harbor preparatory to another trial spin with the Shamrock I. Her mast as it fell over the side carried several of the crew and all the gear and canvas overboard. One man was drowned and several persons, including Sir Thomas, who was knocked down a hatchway, were bruised or otherwise injured. The man who was drowned was a brother-in-law of Capt. Wringe. He was handing a binocular glass to Sir Thomas at the time he was swept overboard. One of Sir Thomas' hands was injured, but not seriously.

So sudden was the calamity that the yacht lay wrecked and helpless before those on board of her well realized what had happened. Fortunately most of the tremendous weight of the gear fell clear of the deck, as otherwise the disaster must have been multiplied threefold.

MILLIONS FOR CHARITY.

Mrs. Wilder, of St. Paul, Leaves Estate Worth Between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000 to the Poor.

St. Paul, April 18.—The last will of Mrs. Fanny S. Wilder, widow of Amherst H. Wilder, was on Friday filed in the probate court by Victor M. Watkins and Charles N. Bell. By this last one of three wills made by the members of the Wilder family, the great Wilder property, or the bulk of it, is devoted to the relief of the worthy poor of the city, founding the largest charity which the city of St. Paul has known. The estimated value is from $3,000,000 to $4,000,000. The principal provisions of the document relate to the founding and maintaining of the Amherst H. Wilder charity, thus supplementing the disposition of Mr. Wilder and the daughter, Mrs. Appleby.

Personal friends have been remembered in bequests, but in the main the will shows that the benevolent testatrix shared with her husband and daughter an absorbing interest in the great charity which is destined to stand as a monument to the Wilder family.

MOTION IS GRANTED.

Chicago Election Officials Are Given Leave to File Petition for Release.

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—The supreme court Wednesday in the Lorimer-Darborow contested election case granted a motion for a writ of habeas corpus made by Isaac N. Powell, clerk of the election, and Thomas Judge and William C. Malloy, commissioners of election, Sixth congressional district, sentenced to jail by Judge Haney for refusal to comply with his injunction restraining them from producing the ballots for a recount in accordance with a subpoena duces tecum.

Victims of Cholera.

Washington, April 17.—Gen. Davis reported to the war department Thursday seven deaths among American soldiers from cholera in the Philippines. The commands to which these men belong, with one possible exception, are stationed in Mindanao, where it was reported in press dispatches that cholera had broken out among the troops operating under the command of Pershing.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons Dead.

New York, April 18.—Mrs. Robert Fitzsimmons, wife of the former heavy-weight pugilist, died Friday at her home in Brooklyn. She began sinking Thursday night and Fitzsimmons summoned a number of physicians, but they were unable to save her. She had been ill for several days with typhoid pneumonia.

Raise Price of Fruit.

St. Louis, April 18.—A combination of the six largest California fruit companies supplying the trade of the country, formed in this city, has increased the prices of oranges and lemons 25 per cent. J. E. Graser, representing the trust here, says 100 cities will be affected by the merger.

Acting Superintendent.

Springfield, Ill., April 18.—Charles P. Gillette has been appointed acting superintendent for the state institution for the deaf and dumb at Jacksonville, vice Dr. Joseph C. Gordon, deceased.

Nine Persons Killed.

Birmingham, Ala., April 15.—A brief special to the Age-Herald from Evergreen, Ala., says that at least nine persons were killed and an appalling loss to property was caused by a cyclone which visited Burnt Corn and Peterman, in Monroe county.

Floods in West Virginia.

Point Pleasant, W. Va., April 16.—The heavy rains of the past few days have been followed by floods in West Virginia. Considerable snow is falling here and at other points along the Ohio valley as well as in the mountains.

IS ENJOYING HIMSELF.

President Roosevelt Reported in Excellent Health and Having a Good Time.

Cinnabar, Mont., April 17.—President Roosevelt came into Fort Yellowstone Thursday looking to be in splendid condition and enthusiastic over the good time he has had. Secretary Loeb met him at Maj. Pitcher's headquarters, and the two transacted some routine business, the first the president has done with his secretary since he went into the park. After his return from his visit to the president, Secretary Loeb issued the following statement:

"Maj. Pitcher reports that the president and his party have just returned from their eight days' horseback trip in the north of the park and along the Yellowstone. The party consisted of the president, Maj. Pitcher, Mr. John Burroughs, together with an orderly, the scouts and the packers with the mule train. All of the party are in excellent health, and not an accident of any kind occurred. On entering the park the president informed Maj. Pitcher that he would not under any circumstances fire a shot at anything while in the park, and he took neither rifle nor shotgun with him. The party had some good fishing, and the president and Mr. Burroughs spent a large part of their time in following and watching at close quarters the great herds of game, chiefly elk, but also mountain sheep, deer and antelope. The party starts Friday for the interior of the park to visit the geysers and perhaps the falls of the Yellowstone. They will go in sleighs, on horseback, or on skis, according to the condition of the snow.

"WILLIAM LOEB, JR.,

"Secretary to the President."

Cinnabar, Mont., April 18.—President Roosevelt left the quarters of Maj. Pitcher, at Fort Yellowstone, Friday morning, for Norris, where he will spend most of the remainder of his stay in the park. The geysers are in the neighborhood of Norris. If he has time he will visit the falls of the Yellowstone.

During the last two or three days of his stay in the park the president will be joined by Secretary Loeb and the other members of the party. The plan for the president to spend a day in the Black Hills has been abandoned owing to the impossibility of disarranging the programme as already arranged. An hour will be spent at Edgemont, where the president will be given an old-fashioned cowboy reception.

RIOT FOLLOWS LYNCHING.

Mob Hangs Negro in Joplin, Mo., and Then Drives Colored People from Town and Burns Their Houses.

Joplin, Mo., April 16.—An infuriated mob took Tom Gilyard, a tramp negro, from the city jail Wednesday evening and hanged him to a telegraph pole two blocks from the jail. The negro was charged with having murdered Police Officer C. Leslie, who was shot dead Tuesday night in the Kansas City-Southern railroad yards while endeavoring to arrest several negroes suspected of theft.

The lynching of the negro served to only temporarily satisfy the indignation of the mob, and later at night hundreds of men again assembled and rioted through the negro section of the city, burning houses, stoning negroes, and finally drove every negro from the confines of Joplin. The police were powerless.

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Property Valued at Nearly $1,000,000 Consumed by Flames in the Texas Oil Fields.

Beaumont, Tex., April 16.—A fire on Spindle Top which started at one o'clock Wednesday morning did damage estimated at $800,000 to $1,000,000. Two hundred and sixty-five derricks were lost. Two hundred rigs were on the producing wells.

The fire started from a lantern at Caldwell Oil company's well. The fly wheel of the engine struck the lantern and ignited the derrick and the flames spread with tremendous rapidity, three blocks, numbers 26, 27 and 28, being in ashes by three o'clock.

No effort was made to extinguish the fire, for it was impossible to get within a hundred feet of the flames.

FOUR PERSONS DROWNED.

Fatal Disaster to Party While Crossing Wabash Bottoms Near Clinton, Ind.

Clinton, Ind., April 18.—Ora Eddington, his wife and their three small children with two neighbors' boys started to cross the Wabash bottoms Friday morning in the face of a warning of danger. The three Eddington children and William Dudley were drowned. The party got off the road and were soon beyond their depth. Hundreds of people witnessed the disaster, but a relief boat was late in reaching the struggling people. Eddington escaped on a horse and his wife was rescued by William Jacks, 12 years old. Three of the bodies were recovered. The high water was the result of recent heavy rains.

Lieutenant Governor Missing.

St. Louis, April 18.—Lieut. Gov. John A. Lee, of Missouri, is missing, and is accused by St. Louis officials with distributing $27,000 baking powder trust boodle among state legislators in return for votes. Six more indictments have been voted.

Tit for Tat.

St. Paul, Minn., April 16.—The bill to cede to the state of Wisconsin Barrett island, opposite the city of La Crosse, was killed in the house. The reason for this was the refusal of Wisconsin to cede to Minnesota the island opposite the city of Red Wing.

Historic School Demolished.

Peoria, Ill., April 15.—The historic Hixman school, made famous by Robert J. Burdette, in his story "The Strike at Hinman's," is being demolished to make room for a row of flats. Burdette was a student at this school before the war and made it famous in his writings. It was erected in 1840.

For Big Cement Plant.

Chicago, April 18. — Thirty-three acres of land near Indiana Harbor, Ind., have been bought by the Illinois Steel company as a site for $1,500,000 cement works. A daily capacity of 4,000 barrels is planned.

NEW CRUISER LAUNCHED.

The West Virginia Slides Into the Water at Newport News, Va.

Newport News, Va., April 20.—The new armored cruiser, West Virginia, was successfully launched at the Newport News Ship Building Co.'s yards Saturday, with fitting ceremonies, Miss Catharine Vaughan White, eldest daughter of Gov. White, of West Virginia, acting as sponsor for the boat.

Miss White was attended by three maids of honor, her sisters, Miss Grace White and Miss Ethel White, and Miss Ashton Wilson, daughter of ex-Gov. Wilson. In the christening party were also the governor and Mrs. White.

As soon as the ceremonies were over President Orcutt conducted the guests, numbering some 500 persons, to the steamboat Newport News, aboard which the party went to Old Point Comfort, where they were tendered a banquet in the dining-rooms of the Hotel Chamberlin. Among the distinguished guests present were Gov. White, of West Virginia, and military staff; Gov. Montague, of Virginia, and staff; officers of the army and navy, and prominent citizens of the two Virginias. President Orcutt was toastmaster.

West Virginia, which is a sister ship of the California and Pennsylvania, is an armored cruiser of 14,000 tons displacement. The hull is of steel and measures on load water-line 502 feet; extreme beam, 69 feet 6½ inches. The vessel has a normal displacement of 13,676 tons; with all ammunition and stores on board, of 15,104 tons. The designed indicated horse power of the cruiser is 22,000, to produce a speed of 22 knots. With a complement of 47 officers and 783 seamen and marines, the vessel will be the floating home of 850 men.

The main battery of the West Virginia will consist of four eight-inch breech-loading rifles, mounted two in each turret, on the center line of the vessel. In addition there will be 14 six-inch rapid-fire guns and a secondary battery of 18 three-inch and 12 three-pounder guns, besides four one-pounder automatic guns, four one-pounder rapid-fire guns, six Colt automatic guns, two machine guns, and two three-inch field guns.

SEVEN INDICTED.

Names of Those Believed to Be Involved in Missouri Legislative Scandal Given.

St. Louis, Mo., April 20.—D. J. Kelley, of New York, the legislative agent of the baking powder trust; Senator W. P. Sullivan, of Christian county, and Senator Charles A. Smith, of St. Louis, it is understood here, are the men against whom indictments were returned at Jefferson City Friday night. Both senators have been missing for several days. Four more indictments were voted Saturday at the capital. Trace of four more $1,000 bills was obtained in the evidence presented Saturday to the St. Louis grand jury. It was stated that three of the bills were used in connection with the alum bill legislation in the senate, and the fourth to influence text-book legislation in the house. This information will be transmitted to Attorney General Crow at Jefferson City, and the indictments will be also found there. Tuesday afternoon the grand jury will temporarily adjourn to enable Circuit Attorney Folk to prosecute the cases against persons indicted here on charges of bribery in connection with the passage of the suburban bill in the house of delegates.

Senator Buell Matthews, of St. Louis county, is among those for whom indictments have been returned by the Cole county grand jury, and he is here arranging for bond. Circuit Judge Hazell has fixed the amount of the bond at $5,000. Senator Matthews declares he is innocent of any crime for any vote he cast, and asks that the public withhold criticism until he comes to trial, when he will establish his innocence. Further than this, on the advice of his attorney, he declined to talk.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

One Member of a Nebraska Family Killed and Five Rendered Unconscious.

West Point, Neb., April 20.—During a thunderstorm near here lightning struck the farmhouse of Fred Sendgreff. All the occupants—father, mother and four children—were badly burned and rendered unconscious. When Sendgreff partially recovered he found the house in flames. He managed to drag his helpless wife and three of the children out, but was unable to rescue the fourth child, whose charred body was later found in the ruins of the house.

May Miss Theatrical Plays.

Boston, April 20.—A decision has been rendered in the municipal court here that a spectator has a right to express condemnation of a theatrical performance by hissing. In discharging a defendant, the justice remarked that hissing in a theater is not a crime, any more than applause.

Lost Four of Crew.

Gloucester, Mass., April 20.—The fishing schooner Independence, Capt. Cusack, put in here Saturday, reporting the loss of four of her crew, who were knocked overboard by the main boom during a gale last Thursday night, and drowned.

A Terrible Fate.

Tiffin, O., April 20.—Mrs. Samuel Schriner, who resided north of Tiffin, Sunday afternoon, while mentally unbalanced, poured coal oil over her clothing, walked from the house and set fire to herself. She was terribly burned and died four hours later.

Winter in Germany.

Berlin, April 20.—The wintry weather in Germany continues. Reports from southern Germany speak of a heavy snowfall in various sections. Fruit trees that already had blossomed have been ruined. A hurricane like snow storm swept over eastern Prussia Saturday.

A Tragic Deed.

Houghton, Mich., April 20.—Because he thought his sweetheart's mother objected to his attentions to the daughter, John H. Molesworth, of Chicago, shot Mrs. Bridget Maher and killed himself. Mrs. Maher will recover.

NOTICE OF TAX SALE.

Notice is hereby given that on the third Tuesday of May, 1902, being the 13th day of May, 1902, and the next succeeding days, at the office of the county treasurer of Oneida county, in the court house in Rhinelander, in said county of Oneida, so much of each tract described in the annexed list and statement as shall be necessary therefor, will be sold by me at public auction, for the payment of taxes, interest and charges thereon, as prescribed by statute.

R. M. DOUGLASS,
County Treasurer, Oneida County.

Statement referred to in the foregoing and accompanying notice:

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SE SW	2	34	4	Lot 10	13	32	5	Lot 10	13	36	7	Lot 10	13	36	9	NE SW	21	35	10	NE SW	21	35	10	Lot 50	3	35	11
NE SE	2	34	4	Lot 11	13	32	5	Lot 11	13	36	7	Lot 11	13	36	9	SW SW	21	35	10	SW SW	21	35	10	Lot 51	3	35	11
SW SE	2	34	4	Lot 12	13	32	5	Lot 12	13	36	7	Lot 12	13	36	9	SE SW	21	35	10	SE SW	21	35	10	Lot 52	3	35	11
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SW NE	11	34	4	SE NW	14	32	5	SE NW	14	36	7	SE NW	14	36	9	SW SE	21	35	10	SW SE	21	35	10	Lot 54	3	35	11
SE NE	11	34	4	NE SW	14	32	5	NE SW	14	36	7	NE SW	14	36	9	SE SE	21	35	10	SE SE	21	35	10	Lot 55	3	35	11
SW SE	11	34	4	SW SW	14	32	5	SW SW	14	36	7	SW SW	14	36	9	NW NE	22	35	10	NW NE	22	35	10	Lot 56	3	35	11

A CITY OF EXTREMES.

In Butte, Millionaires Rub Elbows with Ragged and Dirty Vagabonds.

Surely no city ever knew such extremes, such contrasts of life, as Butte. Here are millionaires democratically rubbing elbows with out-at-heels bohos; for here opportunity, a gambling chance for wealth, has attracted both success and failure, writes Ray Stannard Baker in "The Great Northwest" in Century. Here are college graduates, foreign noblemen, Chinamen, Italians, Welshmen, and a dozen other nationalities, with a miserable remnant of the aboriginal Indians, all gathering and fraternizing in this little isolated city. The chief of police has a check-list of 600 ex-convicts who are residents of the city; but that fact alone is highly misleading. It does injustice to the active better element, for here are no fewer than 28 church organizations, with numerous fine church edifices, the services well supported, and well attended. Here are crowding saloons, it is true, but here are also some of the best-equipped of schools, housed in unusually fine buildings, a really notable library, a college of mines set on the bleakest of bleak hills without an inch of lawn or a tree anywhere near it.

You will hear of the activities of the Women's club and the doings of the Theosophical society, and there are social gatherings which differ not at all in the properties or in resplendence from those of the favored east. On the other hand, you will hear, in the same breath, related with no more surprise, as though it were the most commonplace of incidents, such a story as this, some of the details of which came under my personal observation: Two prominent young society men having differed over a baseball game, one challenged the other to personal combat. They drove out to a roadhouse, chose seconds, stripped to the waist in the presence of a considerable company, among which was the father of one of the young men, and fought out their differences with bare fists. Nothing ever seems unexpected in Butte; whatever happens is so much added to the public entertainment.

FOE OF THE RATTLESNAKE.

Reptiles of a Different Species in Alabama Kill Them Off by Thousands.

"Every summer I sojourn among the mountains of Jackson county, not far from my home," said Ben F. Hunt, a prominent newspaper man of Huntsville, Ala., reports the Washington Post. "When I first went there some years ago I stood in mortal dread of the rattlesnakes which were said to infest the region. The particular mountain on which my log cabin stood had a reputation as the habitat of innumerable rattlers and every morning when I went forth to shoot squirrels I feared encountering some of the dangerous reptiles.

"In all the years of my visits to the mountain I have never yet seen a live rattlesnake, but a number of them after they were slain by some of the mountaineers. The natives do not stand in much awe of the snakes, for they know of a sovereign remedy—a certain oil that has never yet failed to cure a person after being bitten. Every countryman in that mountain keeps a bottle of this oil at his home and one hears many wonderful stories of the cures it has wrought.

"But a worse enemy to the rattlesnake than his human foes is a member of their own family—the black snake. I have come across several reputable men in the mountains who have witnessed with their own eyes these snakes in deadly combat. According to their unanimous testimony it is always a fight to the death and the black snake ever comes out victorious. In fact, it is purely a match for his wily opponent, who glides round and round his clumsy antagonist till he gets either dazed or tired out. Then at the opportune time the black jumps on the rattler, catches him by the back of the neck and enfolds his helpless victim, crushing him, boa constrictor fashion, until life is extinct.

"Numbers of mountaineers who have seen these strange encounters say they never knew a rattler to escape."

An Artificial Comet.

Prof. E. L. Nichols and Mr. G. F. Hull of Cornell university, have obtained a very accurate reproduction of a comet's tail while experimenting with the pressure of light upon floating particles of extreme minuteness. A powder consisting of emery and the spores of puffballs was put in a vacuum tube from which the air was exhausted as completely as possible. When the rays from an arc-light were concentrated upon the powder the lighter particles were seen to be blown out as if repelled by the light, presenting a striking resemblance to a comet's tail. According to Arrhenius and others, this is analogous to the way in which the sun actually produces the tails of comets. The experimenters found that the effect upon the powder was of the same order of magnitude as would be expected from the value of the pressure of light deduced by them from other experiments.—Youth's Companion.

Oldest House in Great Britain.

The oldest inhabited house in Great Britain is Dunvegan castle, the seat of the McLeods of McLeod, part of which dates from the ninth century, or a couple of hundred years before the conquest of William the Norman.—Chicago Chronicle.

Taking No Chances.

Mr. Youngbusband—Why don't you try your hand at cooking, dear?

Mrs. Y.—Well, I will if you will promise to continue to love me.—

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RHINELANDER PRINTING CO.

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DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS—For a contract of three months or less, twenty cents per column inch for each insertion.

FOR A SIX MONTHS' CONTRACT, fifteen cents per column inch for each insertion.

FOR A YEARLY CONTRACT, ten cents per column inch for each insertion.

In addition to the above all contracts in display ads in excess of three inches to inch, will be charged for at the rate of thirty cents per hour.

READING NOTICES.

READING NOTICES will be charged at ten cents per line for the first insertion and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion.

ALL NOTICES will be charged at regular rates except notices of entertainments.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Official Publication.

April 14th, 1903.

At an adjourned meeting of the City council called on the 14th day of April 1903.

Meeting duly called to order by the Hon. Mayor Fred Ankele at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

Roll call and the following aldermen were present Ball, Divers, Didier, Gilligan, Rospke, Swedberg, Stumpner, and Smith.

The minutes of the previous regular meeting was read and approved as read.

Alderman Olson and Johnson appeared at this time and took their seat on the council.

The following bills were presented:

Order No		Amt. Claim
5358	Jacob Lawrence	$ 52 00
5359	Frank Lawrence	4 20
5360	Walter Sutton	5 25
5361	Chas Rollin	28 50
5362	Chas Rogers	19 95
5363	John Sanctana	12 00
5364	Frank Dillinger	7 50
5365	Hose Co. No 1	52 00
5366	Hose Co. No. 2	42 00
5367	Mrs. Graham	2 50
5368	Mrs. Graham	2 00
5369	O. A. Kolden	6 00
5370	Tim O'Connell	21 [illegible]
5371	Markham & Keefe	8 [illegible]
5372	S. F. Hayward & Co	16 00
5373	M. Nolan	16 50
5374	M. Nolan	7 50
5375	B. R. Spooner	4 00
5376	Chas Peterson	2 00
5377	Gust Swedberg	2 00
5378	A. D. Sutton	104 [illegible]
5379	A. D. Sutton	3425 01
5380	A. D. Sutton	4000 00
5381	I. M. Cass	[illegible]
5382	John Lewis	3 00
5383	E. P. Martin	5 00
5384	Arthur Taylor	7 00
5385	Joe Lagos	7 00
5386	W. B. LaSelle	7 00
5387	Merchant State Bank	135 00
5388	Rhinelander Tel. Co.	6 25
5389	Rhinelander Light "	301 00
5390	Rhinelander Tel. Co.	5 00
5391	H. H. West Co.	7 00
5392	S. H. Ashton	1 75
5393	W. H. Trumbull	52 10
5394	Chas Pautz	29 [illegible]
5395	Chas Pautz	24 45
5396	Stevens Lbr. Co.	29 75
5397	B. R. Spooner	2 00
5398	D. H. Vaughn	7 00
5399	John Scraglin	[illegible]
5400	Geo L. Lyons	12 00
5401	Fean Steam Pump Co	22 10
5402	P. A. Browne	2 00
5403	Owen Leonard	2 00
5404	A. W. Rasmesson	2 00
5405	John Dersch	2 00
5406	W. I. Monahan	2 00
5407	Axel Johnson	2 00
5408	J. D. Hogan	2 00
5409	Emil Johnson	2 00
5410	Christian Hansley	2 00
5411	Henry E. Krause	2 00
5412	Gust Swedberg	2 00
5413	Wm. Orr	2 00
5414	P. W. Peterson	2 00
5415	J. N. White	2 00
5416	A. D. Sutton	2 00
5417	Chas. Wilson	2 00
5418	Wm. Dunkelson	2 00
5419	N. A. Taylor	2 00
5420	F. W. Krueger	2 00
5421	John Henry	2 00
5422	T. G. McLaughlin	2 00
5423	W. F. Ball	2 00
5424	Fred Pelkard	2 00
5425	D. C. LaFleur	2 00
5426	Chas F. Barnes	2 00
5427	J. W. McMillan	2 00
5428	Frank Pendrig	2 00
5429	Wm. Holmes	2 00
5430	Richard Reed	2 00
5431	Isac Tuttle	2 00
5432	W. H. Gilligan	2 00
5433	Carl Krueger	2 00
5434	Seth Kimball	2 00
5435	James Tubbs	2 00
5436	Oswald Rohrkolt	2 00
5437	Fayette Patterson	2 00
5438	Jas. McKee	2 00
5439	C. A. Hodgdon	2 00
5440	H. E. McKee	2 00
5441	Wm. McGee	2 00
5442	E. P. Martin	2 00
5443	P. M. Gormacy	2 00
	Delancy Oil and Lubricant Co	8 50

Alderman Barnes appeared at this time and took his seat in the council.

Moved by Ald Barnes seconded by Ald Johnson that the bill of Delancy Oil and Lubricant Co for $8.50 be referred to the committee on Fire Department. Carried.

Moved by Ald Barnes seconded by Ald Didier that the bill of Pete Gingras for rebate on taxes be referred to the assessor and bills for rebate on taxes of Gust Nickolson, John Gustafson, and Gus Smith be disallowed. Carried.

Moved by alderman Gilligan seconded by alderman Rospke that the bill of Carl Johnson for rebate on taxes be disallowed. Carried.

Moved by alderman Stumpner seconded by Ald Johnson that the balance of bills be allowed as recommended by the comptroller. Carried. All the aldermen voting aye.

The following resolution offered by alderman Stumpner was read.

Resolved that the proper officers of the city are instructed to execute a quit claim deed of lot 7 Block 10 of Allan second addition to Rhinelander.

Oneida, Co. Wis. to the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie Ry Co. Offered by Louis Stumpner alderman.

Moved by aldermen Divers seconded by aldermen Didier that the resolution be adopted as read. Carried.

The following petition from the 6th ward was read.

Rhinelander, Wis Mch 2nd 1903.

To the Hon. City council of the city of Rhinelander.

We, the undersigned property holders of the said city, do pray that the following city street be vacated, Pine street lying between Blocks D. and C. and Block H running south to the river, and street running between blocks B and H.

Signed Sr. M. Bonaventura, Supt.
Geo Dessl.

Said petition referred to board of Public Works.

Petition from the 4th ward was read.

Rhinelander, Wis., April 8th 1903.

To the Hon. the common council of the city of Rhinelander.

We the undersigned citizens and taxpayers do petition you to have a sidewalk built on Frederick street from the west corner of lot 6 to the west corner of lot 6 Block 16 original plat of the city of Rhinelander.

Signed Chas. Chason
H. J. Dougherty
W. J. Morgan

Said petition referred to board of Public Works.

Petition for transfer of liquor license was read.

Rhinelander, Wis., Mch 7 1903.

To the Mayor and common council city of Rhinelander.

Gentlemen—I do hereby apply to have my liquor license transferred from the North 20 ft of Lot 4 Block 20 Orig. Plat of Rhinelander to Lot 2 of Block 1 original plat of the city of Rhinelander.

Frank Porkietski

Moved by Alderman Divers seconded by Alderman Swedberg, that the transfer be granted. Carried.

Moved by alderman Gilligan seconded by alderman Olson that the board of Public Works be instructed to give a report on proposition of buying land for the city and if they think it advisable to purchase one. Carried.

The following recommendation from the board of assessors was read.

Rhinelander, Wis., Apr. 6th, 1903.

To the Council of the city of Rhinelander and the school commissioners of the city of Rhinelander respectfully recommend the following levy for school purposes.

To this wages bal mo's	$11023.00
Janitors	1570.00
Fuel	700.00
Repairs and Apparatus	500.00
Supplies and Incidentals	750.00
Insurance	80.00
Buildings and grounds	650.00
	$15365.00
Estimated receipt	3715.00
Total	$11650.00

Respectfully submitted,
A. D. SUTTON,
W. W. CARR,
Committee.

Moved by Ald. Stumpner seconded by Ald Rospke that the recommendation of the school committee be accepted and levy made. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Swedberg seconded by Ald. Rospke that the Board of Public Works be appointed to settle with the city officers and also with the Municipal Judge and report at our next meeting. Carried.

Moved by Ald. Stumpner seconded by Ald. Smith that a recess be taken for canvassing the vote cast at our last election. Carried.

Council then at 8:45 the following report was read.

We the members of the common council of the city of Rhinelander, held a canvassing of the 14th day of April, A. D. 1903, at the council rooms of said city, for the purpose of canvassing the vote for the city officers, cast at the last Judicial election held on the 7th day of April 1903, having duly canvassed said votes, do hereby make and file this our statement of said canvass and determination of the result of said election.

For the office of Ald. of the 1st ward there were 113 votes cast of which number Andrew Olson received 67 votes and John W. Jones received 50 votes.

Andrew Olson having received a majority of all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of supervisor of the 1st ward there were 81 votes. Oliver Emerd having received all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of Ald. of the 2nd ward there were 117 votes cast of which number Louis Stumpner received 67 votes and Chas. Perry received 50 votes.

Louis Stumpner having received a majority of all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of supervisor of the 2nd ward there were 81 votes. Olaf Emerd having received all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of Ald. of the 3rd ward there were 112 votes cast of which number Chas. Cooper received 67 votes and Peter Didier received 45 votes.

Chas. Cooper having received a majority of all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of supervisor of the 3rd ward there were 80 votes cast. W. F. Ball received 40 votes and L. Moore received 40 votes.

W. F. Ball having received practically all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of Supervisor of the 4th ward there were 64 votes cast of which number A. W. Brown received 64 votes.

A. W. Brown having received all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of ald. of the 5th ward there were 80 votes cast of which number Henry C. Beck received 80 votes.

Henry C. Beck having received all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of supervisor of the 5th ward there were 79 votes cast of which number W. B. LaSelle received 79 votes.

W. B. LaSelle having received all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of ald of the 6th ward there were 131 votes cast of which number Warren V. Reed received 55 votes and Chas. E. Guyette received 76 votes.

Chas. Guyette having received a majority of all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

For the office of supervisor of the 6th ward there were 99 votes cast of which number Geo. C. Jewell received 62 votes and Wm. Haviland received 14 votes and J. G. Dunn received 21 votes.

Geo. C. Jewell having received a majority of all the votes cast is hereby declared elected.

Respectfully Submitted
John Swedburg,
Andrew Olson,
Louis Stumpner,
Emil Johnson,
Frank Divers,
Peter Didier,
Chas F. Barnes,
W. F. Ball,
W. H. Gilligan,
C. H. Rospke,
Gus. Smith.

Moved by ald. Stumpner seconded by ald. Didier that the report be accepted and placed on file.

Resolution offered by ald. Olson was read.

Resolved that the Board of Public Works be instructed to investigate and report at the next meeting, what would be the expense to the city to number all houses and business places in the city and place street signs as required by the postal rules for free delivery in cities.

Offered by Andrew Olson, alderman.

Moved by ald. Didier seconded by ald. Johnson that said resolution be adopted as read. Carried.

Moved by ald. Didier seconded by ald. Johnson that the council adjourn until Monday April 20th at 7:30 p. m. Carried.

GUST. SWEDBERG,
City Clerk.

Wanted

1 saw mill engineer.
1 saw mill fireman.
3 edgermen.
1 trimmerman.
4 talleymen to load cars.
2 green lumber markers and graders.
1 oiler and pipe man.
1 lath peller.
1 lath pusher
1 lath bolter.
1 machinist helper.
1 machinist helper and handy man.
4 dry lumber graders.

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A HEROIC TRIO.

Travis, Crockett and Bowie and a Neglected American Epic.

The late Frank Norris in an article in World's Work says that the American epic, which on the shelves of posterity shall have stood shoulder to shoulder with the "Homeriniad" and the "Tales of the Nibelungen" and the "Song of Roland," will never be written because the Hector of an ignored "Iliad" has been forgotten. One of the requirements of an epic—a true epic—is that its action must develop upon some great national event. There was no lack of such in those fierce years after forty-nine. Just that long and terrible journey from the Mississippi to the ocean is an epic in itself. Yet no serious attempt has ever been made by an American author to render into prose or verse this event in our history as 'national' in scope, in origin and in results as the Revolution itself. The prairie schooner is as large a figure in the Iliads as the black ship that bore Ulysses homeward from Troy. The sea meant as much to the Argonauts of the Lifties as it did to the ten thousand.

"And the Alamo! There is a trumpet call in the word, and only the look of it on the printed page is a flash of fire, but the very histories slight the deed, and to many an American born under the same flag that the Mexican rifles shot to ribbons on that splendid day the word is meaningless. Yet Thermopylæ was less glorious, and in comparison with that siege the investment of Troy was mere wanton riot. At the very least the Texans in that battered adobe church fought for the honor of their flag and the greater glory of their country, not for loot or the possession of the person of one plaintiff. Young men are taught to ponder the "Iliad," with its butcheries, its glorification of inordinate selfishness and vanity, as a classic. Achilles—murderer, egotist, ruffian and liar—is a hero. But the name of Bowie, the name of the man who gave his life to his flag at the Alamo is perpetuated only in the designation of a knife. Crockett is the hero only of a 'funny story' about a raccoon coat, while Travis, the boy commander who did what Gordon with an empire back of him failed to do, is quietly and definitely ignored. He died in defense of an ideal, an epic hero, a legendary figure, formidable, sad. He died facing down injustice, dishonesty and crime; died 'in his boots' and the same world that has glorified Achilles and forgotten Travis finds none so poor to do him reverence."

Questioned Too Closely.

Tess—You and Miss Sere don't seem to be good friends. What's the matter?

Jess—Why, she remarked that she was twenty four years old, and—

Tess—And you doubted it?

Jess—Not at all. I merely said, "Of course, but when?"—Philadelphia Press.

His Simple Plan.

"And you say he got rich selling meal tickets ten for a dollar? How was such a thing possible?"

"Oh, very simple. *Nobody* ever went back after the second meal."—Baltimore American.

A man's good work lives after him, but it isn't always identified.—Saturday Evening Post.

The musicale given by the music class at St. Mary's school at the Armory Tuesday evening was attended by a crowd that filled the large building to its full capacity. There were thirty-seven numbers on the program each one of which was listened to with interest and appreciated greatly by the audience. Several were encored time and again. The little folks who took part in the affair did their work in a most pleasing manner, which reflects great credit on Sister Cecilian. The financial proceeds were large.

Mrs. Rose Dunn, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Mel. Sweet, on the south side, was very pleasantly surprised last Friday afternoon by a number of her newly acquired friends.

Ole G. Olson of Manawa, one of the head woodsmen for Brooks & Ross, was in Rhinelander the first of the week.

Mrs. C. J. O'Brien entertained her friends Mrs. Cleary of Antigo and Miss Finnegan of Kaukauna over Sunday.

L. N. Anson, of the firm of Gilkey & Anson the prominent Merrill loggers, transacted business here Monday.

Henry Ornsbe and son Herman of Woodboro were in the city Wednesday on their way to Ashland.

W. J. Johnston a cigar manufacturer from Woodruff was in the city yesterday on business.

Lady cook wanted at once at the Commercial hotel, North Crandon, Wis. Steady position.

J. N. Keeble left last week for a visit with his daughter at Seymour this state.

D. Daigle was up from Monico on a business visit Monday morning.

Harry Lilly of Antigo was here Tuesday.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Wausau, Wis.,
March 31, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of Circuit Court at Rhinelander, Wis., on May 8, 1903, viz: Louis C. Miller of Rhinelander, Wis., who made H. E. No. 9929, for the W ½ NW ¼ and SE ¼ NW ¼ Sec. 18, Tp. 36, R. 10 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andrew McNabb, William McNabb, Julius Entz and William Kuckrehm all of Rhinelander, Wis.

JOHN W. MILLER,
6t-a2-m7-p Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
LAND OFFICE AT WAUSAU, WIS.
March 21, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of circuit court at Rhinelander, Wis., on May 2, 1903, viz: Strawberry Wilborne of Tomahawk Lake, Wis., who made H. E. No. 10701 for the Government lots 4, 3 and 7, Sec. 15, Tp. 35, R. 7 East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Geo. Anderson of Rhinelander, Wis; H. J. Sparks, Martin Johnson and Charles Engeld of Tomahawk Lake, Wis.

JOHN W. MILLER,
6t m26-a30 Register.

STATE OF WISCONSIN COUNTY COURT, FOR ONEIDA COUNTY:

In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Ball, deceased.

In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that the claims and demands of all persons against Charles F. Ball, deceased, late of the town of Hazelhurst in said county will be received, examined and adjusted by the county court of Oneida county, at the regular terms of said court, to be held at the county court room in the city of Rhinelander in and for said county, on the first Tuesday of September and on the first Tuesday of October A. D. 1903.

Also, that six months from and after the 27 day of March A. D. 1903, is the time limited for creditors of said Charles F. Ball, deceased, to present their claims to said court for examination and allowance.

Dated March 27, 1903.

By order of the Court.

4t-a2-27 LEVI J. BILLINGS, County Judge.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.—Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office,
Wausau, Wis., February 10, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Lorenzo Lee, of Three Lakes, county of Oneida, state of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 7335, for the purchase of the S ½ of NW ¼ of Section No. 3 in Township No. 36, Range No. 11 E, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver at this office at Wausau, Wis., on Friday, the first day of May, 1903.

He names as witnesses: E. Ball, A. Hamilton, W. Slozer and H. Neuhoff, all of Monico, Wis.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said first day of May, 1903.

JOHN W. MILLER,
10t-f26-a30 Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.—Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office,
Wausau, Wisconsin,
March 24, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Clara Dow of Rhinelander, county of Oneida, state of Wisconsin, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 779, for the purchase of the NE ¼ NE ¼ of Section No. 7 in Township No. 37 N. Range No. 11 E, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Wausau, Wisconsin, on Thursday, the 11th day of June, 1903.

She names as witnesses: D. E. Briggs, Everett Tooke, George Dysel and Otto Kranz, all of Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of June, 1903.

JOHN W. MILLER,
10t-a2 Register.

CIRCUIT COURT, ONEIDA COUNTY.

W. D. Harrigan and J. M. Harrigan, Plaintiffs,
vs.
H. C. Johnson, Ella Johnson, his wife, and Cora Anna Wilson, an infant over 14 years of age,
Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said defendants, and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

JOHN BARNES,
Plaintiffs Attorney.

P. O. Address, Rhinelander, Oneida Co., Wis.

The summons and complaint in the above entitled action were filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Oneida county November 7, 1902.

JOHN BARNES,
6t-m19-a23 Attorney for Plaintiffs.

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Professor Lohnberg, in the Vienna Clinical Review, on an essay on cold in the head, says that the "ordinary cold is no individual complaint, but only a collective name for a large number of different complaints."

He continues, "The attempt to discover a universal remedy against a cold is just as absurd as to search for a generally efficacious remedy for headache." The particular complaint of which the cold is the symptom can only be ascertained by careful examination of the nasal cavities and neighboring parts." Hence sufferers should be circumspect in the use of remedies.

The professor says only that which is true, but of which the mass of mankind is ignorant. Colds are of innumerable varieties, but the most common one is that which is persistently misunderstood. It is attributed to anything but the right cause, which is a microbe.

All its symptoms are those of a highly infectious fever, and the public instead of blaming the microbe of infection and striving to kill it will persist in denouncing drafts, wet feet, low temperature, etc.

They exclude air, the enemy of the microbe, from their rooms; they supply a temperature in which it can multiply, and, having become thoroughly inoculated by breathing the germ laden atmosphere, they find that a cold current of air causes them to shiver. The shivering of the ordinary mind decides the question of causation.

It is significant of every fever that it begins with shivering, and a cold is no exception.

Cold, wet feet, drafts, etc., are at most only accessories. By putting a greater strain on the animal economy they decrease its resistance to microbial infection.

In order to be a gentleman many a man has to forget himself.—Saturday Evening Post.

The higher a man's character the less he need concern himself about his reputation.—New York Press.

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C. & N.-W. R'y Time Tables

SOUTH BOUND DEPART.

No. 2—10:48 a. m. ——— Daily, except Sunday
No. 4—11:15 p. m. ——— Daily
No. 20—4:15 p. m. ——— Sunday only

NORTH BOUND ARRIVE.

No. 17—1:32 p. m. ——— Daily, except Sunday
No. 11—3:30 a. m. ——— Daily
No. 21—2:30 p. m. ——— Sunday only

H. C. BRAEGER, Agent.

LOCAL TIME TABLES.

Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie R'y

EAST BOUND.

Atlantic Limited ——— 1:55 a. m. Daily

WEST BOUND.

Pacific Limited ——— 1:55 a. m. Daily
Accommodation ——— 3:00 p. m. Dez. Sun.

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Bits of Local Gossip

J. P. Hansen, the leading clothier in Rhinelander.

James O'Melia was down from Hazelhurst Friday.

George Marshall was over from Woodboro Tuesday.

Harvey Lawrence was up from Oshkosh yesterday.

Olaf Homell of Ironwood spent Sunday here with friends.

Attorney VanHecke of Merrill was here on legal business Monday.

Miss May Brown is home again after an extended visit in the south.

For sale mill team. Inquire at Rice & Thrall's office.

Henry Danner and Gus. Fredrickson went to Arbor Vitae Saturday.

The west bound "Soo" limited was over eight hours late Monday morning.

John A. Rowley of Wausau was a caller in Rhinelander Tuesday of this week.

Bert Watts went to Florence Tuesday to spend a few days among friends.

John M. Eby was in Rhinelander last Thursday visiting among his friends.

Miss Olive Pierce of St. Paul is in the city visiting her friend, Mrs. C. H. Day.

Matt. Stapleton was a passenger on Monday morning's south bound passenger.

S. B. Gary of Arbor Vitae was numbered among the city callers on Saturday.

John McElrone has gone to work for Jas. Gleason in the Stevens street meat market.

Mrs. C. B. Nye and little son of Medford visited with Mr. Nye at the Hotel Fuller last week.

George B. Thomas, the Minocqua cigar manufacturer, was in the city on business last week.

Rev. Wolfe went to Hazelhurst Tuesday where he conducted prayer services in the evening.

Dr. Garner responded to a sick call at Hazelhurst Tuesday.

Miss Rose Morgan has gone to Hurley to spend the summer with her sister Mrs. Chas. Pride.

Mrs. George Teal of Weyauwega arrived in the city Monday for an extended visit with her son Jerome.

A. G. Winquist has gone to Three Lakes to accept a position with Hanson the boot and shoe manufacturer.

Street Commissioner Lawrence had his crew at work this week cleaning up the principal business streets.

Lute Wheeler, of the Yawkey Lumber Co. at Hazelhurst, attended the Sawtell-LaSalle wedding here last evening.

Miss Carrie Hull was up from Pelican Lake yesterday. In the evening she attended the Hainer Brown wedding.

Mrs. Henry Boyson of Tustin, Winnebago county, is spending the week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred. Barnes.

Charles Cricklier, night operator at the North-Western depot, went to Antigo yesterday morning on Supt. Hartley's private car.

Willis Butterfield formerly employed by the Rhinelander Iron Co., in this city is now city electrician for the Wausau fire department.

Olaf Goldstrand and wife returned Tuesday night from Westby, where they were called last week by the death of Mr. Goldstrand's mother.

R. L. Lorenz in advance of the Uncle Josh Spruceby Company was in Rhinelander Saturday. This attraction is billed to appear here Monday evening.

Mr. Dickenson, a former employee of the Geo. E. Wood Lumber Co., at Woodboro, has moved his family here. He will work nights in one of our saw mills.

One of the Salvation Army girls of this city spent Friday at Eagle River soliciting funds to help maintain the corps here. She met with very good success.

Matt. Scheribel, well known in this city where he is a frequent visitor, has disposed of his livery stable and outfit at Eagle River. Matt. has been engaged in that business there for years.

Open the door, let in the air,
The winds are sweet, the flowers are fair.
Joy is abroad in the world for me,
Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
J. J. Reardon.

Arthur Chatterton is reported on the sick list.

Arbutus is in blossom and is very plentiful near the city.

W. S. Wright was down from Lac du Flambeau Thursday.

The officials of the "Soo" line were in the city Friday evening.

A. E. Stevens was over from Eagle River on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. W. Shelton is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Day at Duluth.

Miss Frances Slattery come over from Eagle River, Friday morning.

B. R. Lewis went to Milwaukee Sunday afternoon on a business trip.

The parochial school opened Monday morning after a vacation of one week.

Miss Adlee DeMars returned Monday morning from a visit at Merrill and Tomahawk.

Attorney A. W. Shelton spent several days of this week at Madison on legal business.

Leo Barnes has entered the employ of F. A. Hildebrand and will learn the undertaking business.

Wm. Rheaume has entered the employ of Spafford & Cole and will have charge of one of their warehouses.

Roy Lockwood has accepted a position with A. Basil as clerk in his fruit and candy store on Brown street.

George Abrahams of Minocqua, once a resident of Rhinelander, was in the city renewing acquaintances last week.

James Garland has entered the employ of the Rhinelander Lighting Company.

George Davis of Ironwood, Mich., visited among friends here Thursday and Friday.

Alex. Cobban arrived in the city Saturday remaining over Sunday among his friends. Alex. is now located at Barclay, Mich.

Prof. F. A. Lowell went to Antigo last Friday morning to act as judge in the High school literary contest held there that evening.

The street sprinkler made it's appearance for the first time last Saturday. The spell of warm weather caused the streets to be very dry.

The Evening News is the name of a new publication at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., the first copy of which made it's appearance last Thursday.

Mrs. Lombard and little grandson Zene Strope returned Monday morning to Manawa after spending two weeks here the guest of Frank Strope.

Pat Ryan came down from the north Friday to spend a short time in the city. He has been working during the spring in Dan Shea's camp.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wessner and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stevens entertained a number of their friends at cinch last Thursday evening at the Stevens home.

Alex Sutton, city treasurer, has purchased the D. E. Briggs, Brown street residence. The building will be moved to Mr. Sutton's vacant lot on Messer street.

Mrs. R. F. Tompkins was called to Minneapolis this week by the death of her sister, mention of whose serious illness was made in these columns last week.

The citizens of Wausau have decided to build their own library building. Already a large amount has been raised by popular subscription toward this end.

Arthur Contant, formerly of this city, spent Sunday here visiting with friends. He is now located at Minocqua where he is engaged in the manufacture of cigars.

FOUND—Robe, picked up on Brown street Sunday, March 29. Owner can learn of same by applying at this office and paying for this notice. 31-a13 26

For clear skin, clear all the way through, transparent enough to let in sunshine—rosy cheeks show through—take Rocky Mountain Tea. This month, spring time. 35 cents.
J. J. Reardon.

Bert Watts, who is cooking for Tuttle & Johnson at one of their big camps near Jennings, arrived in the city Sunday to spend a few days among his friends. Bert, is one of the best known cooks in this part of the state.

M. Glass of Marinette has opened up a cigar shop in the city on the second floor of the Palst building on Stevens street. Mr. Glass is not giving the work his personal attention but has left his interetts in charge of a foreman. He is turning out the old brands "Schofield" and "Cass."

Frank Sayner of Sayner was a Rhinelander business caller yesterday.

Miss Emily Burton left Tuesday morning for Malvern where she has been engaged to teach in the district school.

Fred Bardin was discharged from St Mary's hospital Monday after a month's confinement suffering with a broken leg.

Mrs. Peter Mengler returned Sunday morning to Ironwood, after making a short visit at her home on the south side.

Charlie Ball, a former Rhinelander boy, was in the city yesterday on his way from Minneapolis to Armstrong Creek, his home.

Miss Ada McRae returned to Tomahawk Lake Monday morning after spending her week's vacation here and at Ironwood, Mich.

John McElrone left yesterday afternoon, with a crew men for Manitowish, where he will have charge of the drive for Harrigan Bros.

Miss Bessie Miller who is a student at the Oshkosh Normal school was called to her home here Tuesday by the illness of her little sister Margaret.

C. M. Fenelon spent Thursday and Friday of last week visiting with his son Dr. C. D. Fenelon and family at Phillips before returning to his home in Weyauwega.

The children of Jas. Harrigan departed Friday for their home in Milwaukee after spending the winter in the city with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. Patterson.

It was found necessary to add a number of new seats in St. Mary's parochial school this week in order to accommodate the attendance which is increasing yearly.

The musicale given by the Swedish congregation last Sunday was a decided success. It was quite largely attended and all who went enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Max Ostrowski left on Tuesday morning's passenger train for Stevens Point, his former home, where he had been called by a telegram announcing his brother's serious illness.

Dave L. Jenkinson, the Minocqua jeweler, spent Monday and Tuesday in the city among his friends. Dave has recently made a number of improvements in his store and reports a brisk business.

Fred Brown of Boyalton arrived in Rhinelander Saturday and will work on the hoist for Brooks & Ross who are operating in the town of Newbold. He is one of the old employes of the company.

Now's the time to take Rocky Mountain Tea; it drives out the microbes of winter; it builds up the stomach, kidneys and liver. A wonderful spring tonic that makes sick people well. J. J. Reardon.

Eugene Estes went up to Tamarack Lake Tuesday with a crew of twenty men and will take the drive out for the Stevens Company. Eugene has been acting as foreman for George Kelly at State Line during the winter and spring.

Bert Steadman spent Monday in the city with his people. He left the following morning for Ashland to brake on an ore train. He has been braking on a North-Western freight run between Kaukauna and Milwaukee.

Flint Stone departed yesterday morning for an absence of two weeks during which time he will visit at Portage, Baraboo, Packwaukee and Waukesha. His place at E. C. Vessey's is being filed by Adlore Barney.

Mesdames B. R. Lewis and Emma Lawrence were at Wausau last week in attendance at the meeting of the Wisconsin Federation of Woman's Clubs. The gathering was attended by members from all parts of the state.

Owen Ryan received a telegram while at work in the woods near Star Lake Friday afternoon, announcing the death of his mother at Port Huron, Mich. Mr. Ryan hurried to this city and left on the night limited for that place. His wife accompanied him. The deceased was over ninety-two years of age and was one of the oldest settlers in Port Huron.

A number of the old neighbors of Mrs. Margaret Brown very pleasantly surprised her at her home on Anderson street last Friday afternoon. The time was spent in conversation and sewing after which an elegant spread was served. Before leaving the ladies presented Mrs. Brown with a fine linen table cover as a token of the high esteem in which they hold her.

D. Brazell went to Wausau Monday morning where he spent the day on business.

Mrs. Chas. Hodgdon went to Eagle River last Friday and remained over Sunday visiting with her friend, Mrs. L. W. Schussman. On Saturday both ladies visited with friends at Watersmeet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson and little daughter left Friday for Milwaukee where they are spending the week. The little girl will undergo an operation for ear trouble with which she has been suffering.

Mrs. W. D. Joslin entertained about fifty of her lady friends at a five o'clock tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Oneida avenue. The house was very prettily decorated with ground pine and potted plants.

A train of seventy-one empty ore cars passed through here over the North-Western road Monday morning on the way to Ashland. The train presented quite a novel sight and attracted considerable attention.

W. C. Ogden of Waupaca and F. W. Kiefer of Antigo, a brother-in-law, stopped off in Rhinelander Tuesday afternoon on their way to Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where they will look over the city with a view of locating.

Al. Hayes, a well known woodsman who has had charge of the camp and dining crews for Tuttle & Johnson near Lennox, was in the city Monday. He departed that night for Chippewa Falls where his mother-law is very ill.

A. L. Rykman, a son of C. B. W. Rykman, came up from Oshkosh last week to attend the wedding of his sister Miss Anna to C. H. Day. He was accompanied by his wife. The young man is a blacksmith by trade. He returned Sunday, his wife will remain during the week.

W. H. Lowe of Hazelhurst, head sawyer in the saw mill of the Yawkey Lumber Company, was in Rhinelander Monday and while here purchased the Petey residence on the north side. Mrs. Lowe and children were the guests of their friends Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Morrill and family yesterday.

Gregor Gregorson of Iola, Waupaca county, is in Rhinelander visiting with his daughter, Miss Ida Gregorson. The gentleman is on his way home from Duluth, Minn., near where he owned a tract of pine timber which he has just disposed of. He is one of Waupaca county's well-to-do farmers.

Staff Captain Faulkner of Minneapolis will conduct special meetings at the Salvation Army hall on Tuesday and Wednesday nights, April 28 and 29. On Wednesday night he will give a stereopticon lecture on the various phases of the Army work also on the "Wonders of America." Admission ten cents. Everybody come.

E. M. Raymond and Ed. Fitzsimmons from Chippewa Falls, veterinary surgeons, arrived in Rhinelander last Thursday and have decided to locate here. They will open up an office in the Model Livery, corner of Brown and King streets. The gentlemen are the owners of a number of fast horses which will be brought to this city.

Fred. Akens of Wausau, one of the logging overseers for the Brooks & Ross Lumber Co., was in Rhinelander Monday. Mr. Akens will superintend the work at the Newbold hoist where the company has a large crew at work. He has worked for the firm for several years and is one of the best known woodsmen in Northern Wisconsin.

The Frank E. Long Co. closed a week's engagement at the Grand Saturday evening with the production of a "Wise Fool." The company during their stay here put on a number of first-class plays and did a fair business. Little Charley Chatterton was the holder of the lucky number which drew the Singer sewing machine given away by the company Saturday evening.

Ruben Penabaker was very pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening at the home of his parents on the north side by about forty-eight of his lady and gentleman friends. Progressive cinch was the main amusement of the evening. The gentlemen presented him with a handsome present, which Ruben appreciates very much. Dainty refreshments were served by the ladies at the midnight hour. They then departed for their respective homes, wishing him many years of happiness. All report a most enjoyable time. Ruben furnished the music for the occasion.

Chas. Harrigan is down from Manitowish today.

Alex Cobban left yesterday for Lac Vieau Dessert where he will scale for Woodruff & Maguire.

Attorney Geo. E. O'Conner of Eagle River transacted legal business and visited his brother C. H. O'Conner in the city yesterday.

William Kuckrehm returned to the city yesterday after spending three weeks in upper Michigan looking over a tract of timber for the Interstate Land Co.

Wm. McHale, who has been working at the barber trade at Crandon, was a Sunday visitor in the city. He at one time held a position here with H. Prior.

FOR SALE—House, lot and barn, located corner of King and Conro streets. Hot, 2 story building. For sale cheap for cash. Time given. Thos. Redfield, Rhinelander, Wis.

The marriage of Guy Taggart and Miss Jennie Carlson, it is said will take place next Saturday in this city. Both young people are well known here and have many friends.

John Langdon, an old resident of Wausau, is in the city visiting his brother Mike. Mr. Langdon has visited Rhinelander quite frequently and his acquaintance here is quite numerous.

The family of Howard Reel arrived yesterday morning from Fond du Lac and will make their home here. They will live in the residence on King street vacated this week by P. Egloff.

Robert Kunest of Ashland county, was a Monday and Tuesday caller here. Mr. Kunest resides on a farm a few miles from the city of Ashland and was one of the first settlers in that section.

Eugene Staulert of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived in the city last Saturday and is a guest at the O. A. Hildermann home. Mr. Staulert is related to the family and will remain in the city a week.

Game Warden James Obverholtzer was over from his home in Eagle River yesterday. Mr. Obverholtzer has been suffering greatly from rheumatism and has been confined to the house for some time.

A. M. Sharpe of Minneapolis, train master of the "Soo" line, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Sharpe will be in Rhinelander quite frequently after the division is moved and will no doubt make his office headquarters here.

A. Carlson and G. M. Johnson departed Monday over the "Soo" for the state of Idaho where they will take up timber claims. Their families accompanied them. They have resided in Rhinelander for several years and were well known residents of the north side.

Actual work on the "Soo" division started this week. A crew of men are now at work on the round house which will be enlarged from a four to ten stall building. The company has a new steam shovel here of the latest improved pattern, which will be in operation shortly, assisting in the laying of tracks.

Search for the body of Mrs. Frank Boczklewiz, who with her husband was drowned in Pelican Lake last winter is still being continued. It is the general supposition that the clothing worn by Mrs. Boczklewiz has caught on snags and is holding the body in the bottom of the lake, not far from where the accident occurred.

The Blue Grass Land Co is placing a large number of settlers on their lands in this vicinity this summer. These settlers are not the average class that precedes settlement in a new county, but are thrifty, hard-working and enterprising people who are bringing their families and households, cattle, horses and farming implements, and are coming to build homes and flourishing farms in Oneida county.

Although not generally known it is a fact that there is still standing in Waupaca county, this state, over twelve million feet of good pine timber. The tract is located on nine forties and is in that portion known as the "Big Swamp." Brooks & Ross, the well known Schofield lumbermen, have recently purchased this timber and expect to log the same during the summer. The contract for the logging of this pine is open for loggers.

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Corduroy knee pants—the kind that wear, sizes 4 to 8 ..... 50c

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THE STORY TELLER

A Telegraphic Transfer

By WILLIAM LINCOLN BALCH

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It was a bold stroke for a girl of 18, but I can't truly say that I've regretted it—opportunities must be taken when they come, or never. It was the peculiar combination of circumstances that led me to do what I did, but I certainly never should have thought of such a thing if I had not been "clean gone" on Frank Stanley. Frank and I worked for the old Continental, and we wanted to get married, but I had sense enough to know that the small income that enabled us to get along singly wouldn't begin to be big enough for us if we tried to "duplex." The telegraph company was being fast run out of the field by more vigorous rivals, and its affairs were in wretched shape. It was months in arrears with all its employes. The company owed Frank and me, between us more than $600, and only paid us in driblets enough to exist upon.

So, as I sat alone in the office that hot summer day I determined, badly as I felt about it, to tell the dear boy Sunday evening that we had better cancel our engagement until matters should look more promising for the future. Elverson, the cashier and nominal head of our office, had a few minutes before hurriedly finished his work, slammed the safe door and gone out, mumbling something about business. I knew very well he had gone to the big ball game. The other girls had all rushed off together, and I hardly expected Frank to come back that afternoon, as he was down the line somewhere looking after repairs.

While I was considering whether I should wait longer on the possibility of his return I happened to notice that the safe door was ajar. "How careless in Elverson," I thought. "He was in too much of a hurry to wait to see if it locked." As I hesitated about going to the safe, not feeling sure whether I had best meddle, the sharp clicking of my sounder checked me. Instead of being a "call" for our office, it was a message for Edgewater, ten miles up the line, the summer residence of the Hon. Russel Hussell—"Old Hussey," we call'ed him—the president of our company. I knew the touch of the operator sending it, too—she used to work beside me, but was now in the private office of the governor at Versailles.

Something queer in the wording first attracted me, and then a name came along that was very familiar, and I began taking the whole thing down in shorthand. It was, in effect, though in guarded words, that the electric railroad bill before the legislature, over which a fierce fight had raged the whole spring, was sure to pass, but would be vetoed that very evening, the last of a long and tedious session, instead of being signed, as everybody expected, and it would be impossible to pass it over the veto at that late hour. The bill practically nullified the charter of the Versailles electric road.

Frank was interested in the electric road, as his cousin was the inventor of the motor to be used, and he had an option on a few shares of stock, but, fearing the bill would pass, had not secured them.

The next message rattled out by the same operator was for the city. It was addressed to a broker and directed the immediate purchase of a big block of Versailles Electric railway.

The governor was the real head of the Edgewater Slate company, in which Mr. Hussell was a large shareholder, and it was known that the slate company came pretty near controlling the politics of the state. I must let Frank know at once, so he might secure his stock before the news got out. Then the audacious thought came to me: "Why shouldn't I be 'in it,' too?"

There was a great obstacle—lack of money. The little I had in my pocket wouldn't go far toward margining railroad stock. I knew a broker in Versailles and I had worked his wire for him.

My eyes fell again on the gaping door of the safe. Here was a pretty temptation for a girl to square herself with her debtors by negotiating a forced loan! I had seen Elverson put away a roll of bills that must have counted up into the hundreds. I turned the matter over in my mind rapidly. Whatever there was to be done must be done now.

I opened the safe, took out the money drawer and counted the roll of notes. There was a little over $500. The next train to Versailles would get me there before the stock market closed.

I hastily wrote out on the official blanks of the telegraph company two copies of each of the governor's telegrams, pocketed them and the roll of bills and whipped on my hat.

When the train rolled into the station at Versailles, I had my plan well in mind, and promptly proceeded to carry it out. Rushing up the narrow stairs of the broker's office I found the proprietor just on the point of going out. Drawing him back into his private den I told him I wanted him to buy me 100 shares of Versailles Electric, which was then quoted around 24.

"Here is enough to put up five points margin," I said, handing him my borrowed roll of bills, "but I want you to promise not to use this particular money, which I will leave with you for security. I will redeem it before night, and come to your house if necessary."

"All right," he said, "you have always proved to be reliable," and without any further talk he carried out my order.

The first plunge had been taken—now for the most daring part of my bold scheme. First, however, I must get word to Frank, so that, whatever happened to me, he should not lose the opportunity to secure his stock. By the greatest good luck, as I came out of the broker's office I met one of our linemen, who had seen Frank during the day and gave me some idea of his whereabouts, so that after some little search I succeeded in finding him, giving him a strong hint that he must bird his stock bargain at once, and leaving with him in a sealed envelope one set of my intercepted telegrams.

Boarding a horse car, I started for the State House, where I boldly told the first official I met that I wanted to see the governor.

His excellency was a spare, tall man, with a decided stoop, a cat-shaped head, sparsely covered with grizzled hair, and bright, shrewd eyes, much wrinkled at the corners, out of which he bestowed upon me a quizzical, but kindly, smile when I insisted on being left alone with him on business of the utmost personal importance to himself.

I went straight to the point, pulled out my copies of his telegrams and placed them in his hands. After the first start of nervous surprise he was cool and collected and I didn't have to threaten to scream, as I had expected.

"I see that you recognize those telegrams, governor," I said. "They are only copies, but other authentic copies are in safe hands. I value them at $250 apiece, but you are the best judge of that. Of course, you can take all the force out of them by signing the bill, but then you will have a big block of worthless stock on your hands, and what will your friend, Mr. Hussell, think?"

"Will you promise me that all other

"I SEE THAT YOU RECOGNIZE THOSE TELEGRAMS, GOVERNOR."

copies of these telegrams are immediately destroyed, if I buy these?" he asked.

"I will cheerfully do so, if you make me a little promise in return," was my prompt reply.

"What is it you ask? You seem to be quite a woman of business."

"Only this: use your influence with President Hussell to have a young man named Frank Stanley appointed to the superintendency of this division of his line," I boldly answered.

The governor smiled at my hot blush, nodded, gave the required promise, produced a fat pocketbook from which he counted out $500, tore the telegrams into little bits, and politely ushered me out of the room.

I lost no time in hunting up my broker, getting back my original roll of money, and returning by the last up train to the office, where I found everything as I had left it. It was with a tired sigh of relief that I restored the bills to the safe and saw that it locked this time with a decided snap.

Within two months Versailles Electric was at par, my hundred shares were worth $10,000, and Frank's allotment half as much more. He obtained the position of division superintendent and was retained in it by the big company, which eventually absorbed our weak one, and then we got arrears of salary and I left the detested office and devoted my time to planning the cosy villa in the suburbs of Versailles, which we still occupy.

WEAR DELHI BALL DRESSES

Mrs. Adair, American Hostess, Will Emulate Durbar Function in London.

Among American hostesses in London now no one is more energetic than Mrs. Adair, who has only just returned from India. She was so impressed by the beauty of the great fancy dress ball that took place at Delhi that she intends giving a ball of this kind on the night at her home in Curzon street in honor of her pretty American niece, Miss Post, daughter of Lady Leymore by her first husband. Many of the dresses that were worn at the Delhi ball will be once more seen on this occasion.

Inspired by a Meteorologist.

The czar was inspired to issue his recent reform proclamation by Denitchirsky, a meteorologist, who attracted the czar's attention by the accuracy of his weather predictions in the Novoe Vremya. The czar summoned Denitchirsky and talked about political matters in the interview. So impressed was he with Denitchirsky's views that he directed him to embody them in a confidential memorandum. That was made the basis of the rescript.

Young People

UPS AND DOWNS.

Johnny's cryin'; do you hear him?
I don't see why he's out of cry;
Jus' because we two went coasting
On the hill there, he an' I.

Got a lovely sled for Christmas,
Papa gave it, painted red.
"Let your little brother use it
Half the time"—our mamma said.

An' I did. I only used it
Coastin' down the hill an' then
Every single time I let him
Drag it up the hill again.

An' it took him so long climbin'
That he had it most—he did.
An' yet there you hear him cryin'!
Isn't that just like a kid?
—St. Nicholas.

HOME-MADE THEATER.

With This Boys and Girls Can Have More Fun Than With Any Other Contrivance.

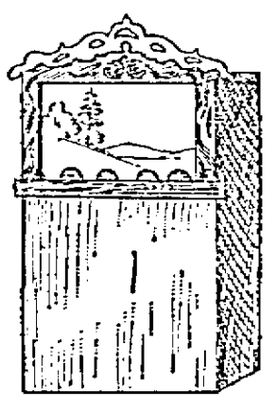
Lots and lots of our readers delight in playing theater. Here is an opportunity to build one at no cost, as everything needed can be found around the house.

Take a large wooden soap box and, after removing the cover, take a crosscut saw and saw through the bottom of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box, at right angles to the sawed front, to form the floor of the stage. Cut out the end which is now the top of your toy theater, leaving but a strip along the front.

Take a strip of this removed piece and tack it to the front of the box, a little bit below the level of the stage.

The next thing is the curtain. Hunt around until you find an old shade roller, some twine and a piece of red or green cloth. Cut the roller the exact width of the box. Then cut the cloth so that half an inch of roller will show on each side, tack one end to the top of the box. Wind the twine around the ends of the roller, leading the twine from each end up and over smooth tacks driven into the top of the theater. These lines should be operated from one side and serve to pull the curtain up and down.

Now comes the making of the footlights and proscenium. Paste drawing paper on stiff cardboard and get father or mother to follow the design in the drawing or carry out their own ideas, using a soft pencil for the outlines and filling in the pattern with water colors or crayon.



READY FOR THE PLAY.

After this is done tack the cardboard upright to the strip in front of the stage, bending them back and tacking them to the top. Tack the painted footlights to the front strip, high enough to hide any roughness of the stage. After designing and painting the arch, cut out along the outline and fasten it to strips of wood nailed to the top of the stage and jutting out as far as the strip along the footlights.

The scenery for the little theater has now to be made. Get old cardboard boxes, and take the large flat pieces, cutting them to the desired size and cover them with white paper. If you want a wood scene outline the trunks and branches with a heavy pencil, or india ink, filling in the foliage with water colors, permitting each color to dry before applying another.

Interiors, farm houses or sea scenes can be cut out of old magazines and pasted on.

After this is all done, your curtain in good working order and scenery in place, get out your toy soldiers, form them into groups—or, put your tin boats behind the paper waves with their paper and paint scene behind it. One little boy who had this theater built for him had two sets of scenery, one of the woods and one of the sea.

His first tableau was "A Storm at Sea," using a tin ship and his sea scenery. Tableau two was called "At the Station," showing a company of toy soldiers ready to enter an iron train, toy blocks were used to build the station. Tableau three he called "The Holdup in the Woods," the same little train being stopped by a toy man with his gun at his shoulder ready to fire.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A California Dog Hero.

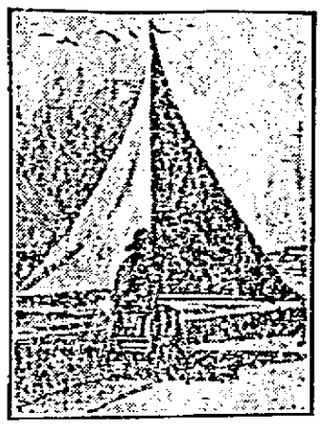
From California comes a tale of a heroic rescue by a dog. During a forest fire which raged along the border between Yuba and Butte counties, Bruno, a Great Dane dog, fought his way through the flames bearing in his jaws the living body of 3-year-old Florence Rogers. The parents of the child, when the alarm of fire was given, hastened to assist neighbors, leaving little Florence on the kitchen floor. When the wind shifted Rogers and his wife rushed for their home, but when they reached the clearing it was to see the barn in a blaze. Rogers tried to get to the house, but was restrained. Just then Bruno burst through the kitchen window with the child, her garments knotted in his teeth. The baby's clothes gave way as the dog landed, but in an instant he had her again in grip and reached safety. The child's face and hands were cut and burned, but she recovered.

BOY'S LAND YACHT.

French Youngster Furnishes an Idea Which Our Own Boys May Find Worth Imitating.

While crude in construction, a curious and useful little carriage was recently built by a French boy. He was staying with his mother at a seaside resort and one day, after watching a yacht skim over the water, it occurred to him that a person could travel very comfortably on land by attaching a sail to a carriage.

He got an old box and a set of wheels and in a few hours was riding up and down the beach in a carriage the like



FRENCH BOY'S LAND YACHT.

of which had never before been seen in France.

To the box he simply fastened a mast and a double triangular sail. There happened to be a good wind when his work was done, and it carried him and his carriage for a great distance.

Any boy can make a little land yacht of this kind, all that he needs being four wheels, which he can obtain without much trouble, an old soap box, a strip of canvas or calico and a stout stick, which is to serve as a mast. When there is any wind he will find a land sail decidedly pleasant.—N. Y. Herald.

THE SPIDER'S WAY OUT.

Little Insect Showed So Much Intelligence That Its Captor Restored It to Liberty.

A close observer never has to travel away from home for entertainment and instruction. One bright-eyed young person, who had grown tired of reading, tells in an English paper how he found a spider an interesting playmate.

I took a washbowl and fastened up a stick in it like a vessel's mast, and then poured in water enough to turn the mast into an island for my spider, whom I named Crusoe, and put on the mast. As soon as he was fairly cast away, he anxiously commenced running around to find the mainland. He'd scamper down the mast to the water, stick out a foot, get it wet, shake it, run round the stick and try the other side, and then run back to the top again.

Pretty soon it became a serious matter to Mr. Robinson, and he sat down to think over it. As in a moment, he acted as if he were going to shout for a boat, and as if he were afraid he was going to be hungry. I put molasses on the stick. A fly came, but Crusoe wasn't hungry for flies just then. He was homesick for his web in the corner of the woodshed. He went slowly down the pole to the water and touched it all round, shaking his feet like pussy when she wets her stockings in the grass. Suddenly a thought seemed to strike him. Up he went like a rocket to the top, and commenced playing circus. He held one foot in the air, then another, and turned round two or three times.

He became excited and nearly stood on his head before I found out what he knew, and that was this: that the draught of air made by the fire would carry a line ashore on which he could escape from his desert island. He pushed out a web that went floating in the air until it caught on the table. Then he hauled on the rope until it was tight, struck it several times to see if it were strong enough to hold him, and walked ashore.

I thought he had earned his liberty, so I put him back in the wood shed again.

HABITS OF SOUTHERN BOYS.

Two Characteristic Marks by Which Their Home Section May be Determined.

"I'll bet that boy is from the south," said a man, as he saw a lad of about 12 come in and take his place at another table in the dining-room, relates the New York Sun.

"Have you heard him speak?" asked the other man.

"No; that is not necessary. You will notice that his hair is correctly brushed in front, while behind it looks as if it had been tumbled up in a western tornado.

"It is a southern boy's way. I never knew one who brushed the hair on the back of his head. I do not know why, nor do I know why a southern boy who has to shine his own shoes never puts a polish on the heels. He will labor in getting up a mirror shine on the front of his shoes and leave his heels untouched until they become russet in shade.

"There is another thing that you will notice about a boy who has been raised in the south—he rarely parts his hair in the middle. It is either parted on the side or roached.

"I don't know what has become of the boy with what we used to call the cowlick on his head, but at one time he was very numerous. I haven't seen a boy with a cowlick since the war, but when I lived in the south he was often seen."

Four Thousand Godfathers.

Princess Irene of Prussia is better provided for in the matter of godfathers than is any other woman in the world. She can boast of 4000 godfathers, and how she came to obtain so many is a pretty story. When she was born the war of 1866 was drawing to an end, and peace being concluded just at the time of her christening, her father, Prince Henry of Hesse, requested all the officers and men of the regiments under his command to stand godfather to his little daughter, whom he named Irene (Peace) in commemoration of the end of the war.

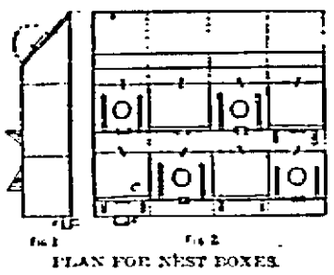
THE FARMING WORLD

MODEL NEST BOXES.

Their Designer, a Kansas Poultryman, Says They Have Given Best of Satisfaction.

These nest boxes are in use on my farm and give the best of satisfaction. The smaller, left-hand figure in the cut is an end view, the larger a front view, of part of the tier which makes room for 24 hens to lay at once. The top is slanted, as shown in left-hand figure, showing door to upper tier of boxes open. In the other figure, it is closed. This is used entirely for laying hens.

The two lower tiers of nests have separate doors for each box. To set a hen, the door can be closed as at b, but shows doors open in both figures.



PLAN FOR NEST BOXES.

This is a good way of protecting the setting hens from being disturbed by others, and is better than boards laid over a box with rocks on it. The doors are braced with two cleats made from a piece one by four by six inches, by ripping it from one corner to the other. These are nailed onto the doors and form a support for door when open, also prevent door from splitting. Each door has a hole three inches in diameter bored in center to give air to hens. In the evening when gathering eggs, all doors can be closed and fastened with buttons, which prevents fowls from roosting on edges of nest boxes or doors, thereby always keeping nests clean.

The whole nest box is open at back, and is set against the wall of chicken house and fastened to it by two hooks, it resting on cleats, c, which are nailed onto wall. By unhooking, the whole thing can be laid back downward and all cleaned at once. Each door is fastened to box by a hinge. The nests are four inches deep from door. If too deep, heavy hens often break eggs in jumping onto nest, but in this box they just step in. The entire tier is eight by three and 12 inches wide. Each nest is 12 inches square.—C. E. Knudtson, in Farm and Home.

SOUND MANAGEMENT.

Without It Poultry Raising Cannot Be Made Profitable in This Age of Competition.

Upon many farms there is a lack of system in the selection of the hens and pullets for breeding purposes, and for other purposes. It is the practice of some to sell just what can be caught when the time comes for selling, and again all the old hens are sold off, and now and then one will be found who will insist on keeping the old hens. Now there should be some reason for the pursuance of all these practices. We know of instances where pullets do more than hens in the way of laying, and it is also well to say that there is a reason for it. If the pullets are not hatched early in the spring it will be better to retain the hens than to place too much stress on the pullets. Late hatched pullets will often prove disappointing. Some old hens will perform satisfactory service until they are four years old, although it is not advisable to keep hens this long on all farms and under all kinds of management. Very much will depend on the mode of feeding whether the hens or the pullet will give the best satisfaction. One reason why hens seem to fail sooner than they should, is due to the fact that the hens being mature fatten more easily, and the pullets being in a growing condition are not in a position to admit of a comparison. It is detrimental to laying hens to have them too fat.

On the average farm where the records of hens are not kept it is a good plan to save a few of the earliest hatched each year, and let the remainder go to market. Some of the best hens should be retained, and these can be selected by their activity and the color of their comb. It is less expensive to keep a good hen two or three years than it is to produce pullets to take their places.—Caleb, in Midland Farmer.

AMONG THE POULTRY.

Clean out the coops often; filth is unhealthy at any season of the year.

Are you keeping an accurate record of your poultry account, including cost of labor and the income from your sales?

Make a few good dust baths by digging up a little space near the runs; then dump on a pan of ashes and the lice will hate a hard time, while the chicks will do better.

If there is any foundation for the claim that eggs hatch best in nests upon the ground, provide this condition by placing some fresh earth or an inverted sod in the bottom of the nest box—then cover lightly with some fine nest material, such as cut straw or fine hay.—Prairie Farmer.

The Stingless Bees of Cuba.

Among its other curiosities Cuba has a variety of honey bees that are entirely stingless, although they have powerful jaws and will bite other insects, if disturbed by them. They are very small and have many other peculiarities, such as keeping the brood-comb horizontal and keeping the entrance of the hive so small that only one bee can go in and out at a time. In place of honeycomb they deposit their honey in large cells of wax about the size and shape of a pullet's egg. Some of these cells will hold as much as two tablespoonfuls; they are sealed over when full. The annual output is estimated at two quarts per colony and is exceptionally delicious.

NEVER SAW SUCH LARGE YIELDS.

The Climate Is Healthy—The Winters Are Pleasant in Western Canada.

Writing from Stirling, Alberta, to one of the agents representing the Canadian Government Free Homestead Lands, Mr. M. Pickrell, formerly of Beechwood, Kentucky, says of Western Canada:

"In the first place we will say that the summer season is just lovely indeed. As to the winter, well we never experienced finer weather than we are now enjoying. We have just returned from Northern Alberta and will say that we found the weather to be very mild, the air dry, fresh and invigorating. Considering everything we can say that the winters here are most pleasant, healthy and enjoyable to what they are in the States. Here it gets cold and continues so till Spring—there are no disagreeable winds. In South Alberta it is some warmer—two to four inches of snow may fall and in a few hours a Chinook wind come along, evaporating the entire snow, leaving terra-firma perfectly dry, in fact, we did not believe this part until we came and saw for ourselves and we now know what we herein write to be just as we write it. There has not been a day this winter that I could not work out doors. Farmers here are calculating on starting the plough the first of March.

"As to farm wages, we would not advise a man to come here with the expectation of living by his days' work, but all who do want a home I advise to have nerve enough to get up and come for there never has been, and may never be again, such a grand opportunity for a man to get a home almost free.

"As to the crops, I have been in the fields before harvest, saw the grass put up and the grain harvested, and I never saw such large yields. I saw oats near Edmonton over six feet tall that yielded 80 bushels per acre, and I talked to a farmer near St. Albert who had a field year before last that averaged 110 bushels per acre, and weighed 42 pounds to the bushel. All other crops would run in proportion—as to potatoes and vegetables, the turnout was enormous. I have such reports as the above from all sections that I have visited, and that has been every community between the Edmonton district and Raymond in the Lethbridge district.

"As to stock raising, I would advise a man to locate in this place, or any place, in South Alberta, but for mixed farming, I would say go up farther north, say near Lacombe, Wetaskiwin or Edmonton, where it is not quite so dry and where there is some timber to be had. I will say that nowhere have I ever seen a better opportunity for a man, whether he has money or not, to obtain a home. Nowhere can be found a more productive soil, better water and a better governed country than Western Canada affords. Inducements to the homeseeker are unexcelled. I met two men near Ponoka on the G. & E. R. R., who borrowed the money to pay for their homestead and in four years those two men sold their farm—one for $2,500, the other for $2,000. I met a man near Wetaskiwin who landed here with 25 cents six years ago. He is now worth $8,000. The advantages for ranching are excellent, in fact I do not believe this section can be beat. Markets are good; as to living, a family can live as cheap here as they can in the States. The average yield of oats in this neighborhood, last year, was 70 bushels per acre; wheat averaged 35, barley 40, and the best crop was good. In consequence of the successful cultivation of the beet, a large beet sugar factory is being erected at Raymond, seven miles from here.

"In conclusion, I will say that N. W. T. from Manitoba to a long distance north of Edmonton produces most wonderful crops. Lakes and rivers abound with fish, and game is plentiful. And that this is unquestionably the country for a man to come to if he desires to better his condition in life. I would advise the prospective settler to look over the Lethbridge, Lacombe, Wetaskiwin and Edmonton districts before locating.

"I will locate in the Edmonton district next Fall and several families from the States will locate with me. In the meantime, I will receive my mail here and will be pleased to give the interested all the information desired."

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Barrister's Ghost

By HENRY CLEVELAND WOOD.

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"DULCIMER, are you not afraid to trust those two men in a boat together?" asked my wife, with a meaning laugh, as her niece waved a farewell from the front gallery.

"Certainly not," answered Dulcimer, lightly.

We were eating the bread of idleness at one of the smaller resorts on the Florida coast. Closely attached to our little party were two others, Horace Munn and David Barrister, the former a young eastern broker, the latter a successful orange grower, whom Dulcimer had met the summer before. In Dulcimer's treatment of each there seemed no partiality shown.

I had an engagement with Munn and Barrister for Christmas day to take a small boat and fish, but with the morning came a persistent headache, which compelled a change of plans. I gave the two a lunch that had been prepared, and a small flask of orange wine, which Barrister put in his pocket, and they pulled off without me.

Along toward noon my wife was reading from a popular novel, Dulcimer was busy with her embroidery, and I was listening and dozing alternately in a hammock, when hasty footsteps suddenly claimed our attention, and almost before we recognized the intruder a shadow fell across the gallery. Horace Munn stood in our midst, his garments dripping with sea water, his face strangely pale, his eyes filled with somber tidings.

"The boat overturned—I swam ashore," he faltered, and seemed almost exhausted.

"Good Heavens!" I cried, springing to my feet. "Where is Barrister."

Munn looked first at Dulcimer, then at me. She had risen, and stood with eyes fixed on him in a gaze of fascinated terror, while she shook violently, as with a chill. In that moment I understood it was 'the other one' she loved best.

"Where is Barrister?" I repeated.

"I tried to save him!" Munn cried, brokenly, "but he sank at once and was carried out to sea. I had hard work to save myself, the waves—" The speaker suddenly swayed and fell unconscious at Dulcimer's feet.

This tragic termination of the day's outing was a very great shock to us all, especially Dulcimer, and on Christmas night, beyond the mid hour, she came to my wife the picture of affright.

She insisted that David Barrister had appeared at her bedside, his garments dripping with salt water, seaweed tangled in his hair, and a death-like pallor on his face. He carried in his hand a small wicker flask that had long been in the water, and held it out to her, but when she reached forth to take it the form vanished.

"We must get Dulcimer away from here," said my wife, concernedly, a day or so later. "She needs a change of scene."

We went to St. Augustine. The evening while sitting in the open square of the hotel listening to the music, Dulcimer, who sat next to me, suddenly began to tremble, and as I arose to throw a wrap about her shoulders, I caught sight of Horace Munn coming through the archway of the entrance. Dulcimer's back was toward it, and she had not turned around.

"Are you ill?" I asked of Dulcimer, in alarm.

"It is nothing," she answered, in a low tone. "I am better now."

While she was speaking Horace Munn presented himself. He had only reached St. Augustine that evening. As Dulcimer turned to speak to him, I saw that my wife was covertly watching the effect of the meeting.

"You must not be too hard on Dulcimer," I ventured, when in the privacy of our room. "It will take some little time for the shock of Barrister's death to wear off."

Dulcimer and Horace Munn did not meet again until the following winter, and a second peculiar circumstance attended this meeting.

While at the theater, some late arrivals came in at the beginning of the second act, and all at once Dulcimer began to tremble. I glanced back of me, and, as I had suspected, I saw Horace Munn just then appear at the curtained entrance of the corridor leading to the parquette.

Horace Munn remained in the city about a fortnight, and in that time we saw him frequently. I think my wife began to be very hopeful, when, after Christmas night, her plans were shattered by Munn's abrupt departure, and Dulcimer's tearful confession that she had rejected him.

"You must not censure me!" she cried, "for last night there came once more to my bedside the poor dripping figure holding out to me your wicker flask. Twice, on Christmas night, has this strange apparition appeared; twice has it offered me the flask. What is the meaning of it?"

The following June we sailed for the old world for a few months' travel. Midsummer found us sailing the majestic fjords of picturesque Norway.

The morning after our arrival at Trondhjem, while we were breakfasting, suddenly in our meal an exclamation from my wife drew my attention to Dulcimer, who was leaning back in her chair, trembling violently, her face quite pale. As I rose to go to her assistance, two guests were ushered into the quaint breakfast room by the attentive host. The first guest was a stranger whom I had never seen, the second was Horace Munn. By the time he had come forward and introduced his friend, another American by the name of Tarkington, Dulcimer had quite recovered from her faintness.

Munn and his companion were journeying to the North Cape, and as we were the only Americans among the present lot of tourists at the hotel it naturally came about that we formed a little party of our own.

From Tromso we set sail for Hammerfest, which is principally famous for being further north than any other city in the world. Strange to relate, the harbor at this remote spot never freezes over, though it lies within the arctic circle.

This open water is due to the gulf stream and the flotsam of southern seas is frequently gathered here, floating trunks of palm and orange trees, and tropical vegetation strange to the northern flora.

Soon I began to suspect that Horace Munn had a second rival in the field quite as formidable as Barrister had been. This was Edward Tarkington.

On our return to Hammerfest, Tarkington was compelled to remain some little time on business, but promised to join us later, so Munn was once more left a clear field, except for certain letters that came with commendable regularity to Dulcimer—at least, for some weeks they came, then suddenly ceased, and I noticed a troubled look on Dulcimer's face.

By Christmas we were settled in Florence, and my wife renewed her hopes regarding Horace Munn's suit. He was surely a persistent wooer.

"It all depends on the 'Christmas ghost,'" declared my wife to me, in private. "She will reject Horace Munn if it appears. Of course, it exists only in her imagination, so let us do all we can to keep her mind on more pleasant subjects. If we can manage to tide over this especial night all will yet end well."

On Christmas day we haunted the shops to see the holiday displays, and at night attended the theater, as guests of Horace Munn, then after a quiet little supper went to our hotel.

Shortly after midnight a cry of alarm from Dulcimer's room brought us there. She stood in the doorway the embodiment of consternation, holding some strange object which she thrust in my hands, then dropped in a swoon at our feet.

On bringing her to consciousness, little by little, we gathered the story of her dismay. She had abruptly awakened out of a deep sleep to find the figure of a man standing by her bedside. Thinking that a burglar had gained entrance to her room, she screamed, then she remembered that it was Christmas night, and knew that her ghostly visitant had once more appeared.

At the sound of her voice the mysterious figure leaned over the bed and placed some object in her hands, then seemed to disappear through the window.

In confirmation of her story, she showed the ghostly gift as a tangible proof. It was a small flask, wicker-covered, its metal top cankered, its sides green with mould and salt encrusted, its neck covered with a fringe of dried spawed and small clinging shells, as if gathered in a long voyage over many leagues of ocean—the flask that Dulcimer had seen twice before when the ghostly visitant appeared to her.

As I examined the article carefully, the knowledge slowly dawned on me that it was my very own flask, once filled with orange wine, which I had given to David Barrister long months before in Florida, on the fatal morning he had gone forth, never to return.

When the cankered stopper was removed, a small roll about the thickness of a lead pencil fell from the flask. It proved to be a visiting card rolled in oiled paper, while on it was written these words, now scarcely legible:

"The boat has been tampered with and is sinking. Munn caused it. He knows I cannot swim, and has left me to my fate. I trust this message to the waves. My last thoughts, Dulcimer, are of you."

Mechanically, I turned the card over. On the other side was the engraved name—David Barrister.

Not until several months later was the mystery of the strange recovery of my wicker flask made clear. On their bridal trip Edward Tarkington told Dulcimer that he had bought it of a fisherman who had picked it up off the coast of Hammerfest during the past fishing season.

Tarkington, fully alive to the meaning of the recovered flask, and also suspecting treachery on Munn's part in his own case, set out to find us, and only succeeded in locating our party at Florence on Christmas night. The room given him was next to Dulcimer's at the hotel. He had been a somnambulist since early boyhood, and on this Christmas night, filled with doubts as to what course he should pursue in regard to this silent witness of a rival's villainy—a witness that had been strangely drawn over countless miles by the forces of mysterious phenomena, to give testimony within the arctic circle itself of a deed committed long months before on semi-tropic seas—Tarkington had arisen in his sleep, made his way from one balcony to another, and finding the window of Dulcimer's room unfastened, had gone in and given her the flask, much to her terror and his own consternation when he awoke.

As for the Christmas ghost, it was never seen again.

THE CHILD IN THE GARDEN.

When to the garden of untroubled thought
I came of late, and saw the open door,
And wished again to enter, and explore
The sweet, wild ways with stainless bloom inwrought,
And flowers of innocence with beauty fraught,
It seemed some purer voice must speak before
I dared to tread the garden, loved of yore,
That Eden lost unknown, and found unsought.

Then just within the gate I saw a child—
A strange child, yet to my heart most dear—
He held his hands to me, and softly smiled
With eyes that knew no shade of sin or fear;
"Come in," he said, "and play awhile with me;
I am the little child you used to be."

—Henry Van Dyke, in Atlantic.

Makes People Taller.

A physician of Paris has a method to make one grow tall. This is to apply static and faradic electricity to the knee joints daily, in connection with massage night and morning. He binds the joints in compresses saturated with salt water each evening and puts his patient upon a diet of cereals to promote the growth of cartilage.

The classified civil service now embraces 131,017 positions.

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS.

Sisters Burned to Death.

Fire destroyed the home of and burned to death Misses Phoebe and Libbie Heeley, at Bear Creek, six miles south of Tomah. The two sisters were 75 and 86 years of age, respectively. They lived alone on a large farm which they owned. A high wind at the time fanned the flames and before assistance arrived all was destroyed. It was thought that they had a large sum of money in the house and that they were robbed and murdered and the fire started to cover the traces of the crime.

Looking Up the Deaf.

Miss Anna E. Schaffer, state inspector of the schools for the deaf, believes that there are a number of defective children in the state who are being deprived of the advantages of the schools established especially for them. In order to ferret out all these children and get them into these school Miss Schaffer has sent a letter to county and city superintendents of schools of the state asking that parents of afflicted children be located and their addresses sent her.

Engineer Killed.

Herman Knowles, aged 30 years, a special engineer in the employ of the Northwestern railway company, was killed under the wheels of his own engine near Salem. While a switch was being made Knowles climbed back over the tender to uncouple the engine, and, leaning down to pull out the pin, slipped and fell under the wheels. Knowles was to have been married to Miss Jennie Butts, a well known young woman of Howard, Ill., within the next few days.

Woman Shot.

Samuel Clark shot May Mitchell three times at Fond du Lac, causing three serious but not necessarily fatal wounds. The woman then got away and ran screaming into the street. As soon as he realized what he had done Clark shot himself through the heart, death being almost instantaneous. May Mitchell formerly had lived with Clark, but left him about two weeks ago.

Death of an Editor.

Ole Brauder Olson, aged 47 years, editor of the Norwegian prohibitionist newspaper Reform, formerly a member of the national committee of the prohibitionist party, several times a nominee for congressman and lieutenant governor in Wisconsin and a lecturer of note, died at his home in Eau Claire. Mr. Olson leaves a widow and five children.

Crop Report.

The weekly crop report of the Washington weather bureau says for Wisconsin: Season opens with crop conditions and prospects mainly satisfactory; farm work well advanced, but now at standstill owing to cold rains; wheat, rye and clover appear to have wintered well; moisture abundant and in some sections excessive.

Two Men Fatally Hurt.

Two men were fatally injured in the Wisconsin Central railway shops at North Fond du Lac. The victims are Clarence Gordier and Adolph Friday. They were at work in the shops when some heavy timbers fell on them, crushing them so badly that they could not recover.

Murder at Milwaukee.

Martin Jochowicz was arrested in Milwaukee, charged with killing John Potrykus in front of a saloon on Ninth avenue. Jochowicz was arrested at his home, and when taken to the police station made a full confession, claiming the deed was committed in self-defense.

Insane from Cigarettes.

Leo Mitchell, aged 17 years, the second Marinette boy to lose his mind in a week from the effects of smoking cigarettes, was adjudged insane and sent to the Northern hospital at Oshkosh.

The News Condensed.

The right of way for the proposed belt line between Chicago and Kenosha has now been secured and work on the line will be pushed.

As a result of the lack of interest the State Baseball league has been abandoned.

Milwaukee milling companies have increased the wages of the 1,000 mill-workers on an average of one dollar a week.

Dr. W. R. Hopkins, of Cumberland, is making arrangements to open a consumption sanitarium on the shores of Lake Nelsagamon.

The Lake Vista Hotel block at Williams Bay was burned, resulting in damage of $20,000, on which there is little insurance.

Thomas Phillips pleaded guilty to breaking into a boat house at Racine and stealing a $500 yacht and was sent to prison for three years.

The date for commencement at Carroll college at Waukesha has been set for June 26.

Judge Belden has appointed Henry F. Jordan receiver of the Kenosha state bank, which was recently closed by State Bank Examiner Bergh.

D. W. W. Walker's drug store at Marinette was robbed of $150 by burglars who climbed through the transom.

El Jones was killed while driving a bus from the depot at Athens by falling. He fell from his seat, breaking his neck.

Thomas Maham, of La Grange, aged 43 years, fell down stairs, receiving internal injuries from which he died.

Hoebner & Bartlett, of Eau Claire, have been given the contract to build the Eau Claire Carnegie library at $29,646, all contracts aggregating $40,000.

Joseph Cook, who worked at Gravitt's mill, near Wausau, fell from the top of the iron framework of a bridge over the Eau Claire river and was killed.

While attempting to remove a hand-car from the track, Section Foreman Charles Shadow, of Iron Ridge, was struck by a switch engine and instantly killed. He leaves a wife and four children.

WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE.

Daily Summary of the Work Done in the Senate and Assembly in Session at Madison.

Madison, Wis., April 15.—After a recess of 11 days the senate has reconvened and among the first things was the introduction of resolutions providing for final adjournment on May 2. A bill was passed allowing all public officers to give surety company bonds, and providing that supervisors may pay for them. Assembly bills were concurred in as follows: Providing that in distribution of assets of a corporation preferred stock shall have no advantage over common, unless expressly provided; codifying laws respecting care of dependent children in Milwaukee; declaring spite fences over six feet high a public nuisance; authorizing cities of the third class to issue bonds for school purposes. The assembly bill providing that the property of a wife shall be jointly liable with that of her husband for debts contracted for provisions and other necessaries was ordered to a third reading.

Madison, Wis., April 16.—In the senate bills have been passed as follows: To prevent the docking of horses in Wisconsin, but not to prevent the importation of docked animals; validating franchises heretofore granted; authorizing the secretary of the state board of control to inspect county institutions; assembly bills were concurred in: allowing state treasurer to give a surety company bond at state expense; regulating revocation of license to attorneys; increasing pay of drainage commissioners from $250 to three dollars per day; allowing cities to borrow money for public improvements; providing for evidence of sale of property under chattel mortgage; extending law for education of the deaf by towns and villages; providing for permanent record and numbering of school districts.

Madison, Wis., April 17.—The senate committee on privileges and elections has reported for passage Senator O'Neill's bill providing for female suffrage. It also favorably reported on Senator Roehr's bill providing that mayors of cities shall appoint election inspectors from lists of names furnished by the different political committees. It reported for concurrence Assemblyman Barber's bill providing that no liquor or beer shall be taken into an election booth until the votes are counted and returns certified.

Madison, Wis., April 18.—Bills have been introduced in the senate providing that the state treasurer shall act as treasurer for the university, and that all accounts shall be audited and paid the same as those of other departments of the state government; appropriating $1,000 to the widow of Judge Charles V. Barlow for a quarter's salary and funeral expenses of the deceased jurist; making abstractors liable for damages arising from their mistakes; specifying the kind of securities that trustees shall invest in. Bills have been passed validating contracts of foreign corporations, made before officially entering the state; regulating fees in county courts. Assembly bills making the fee of a county judge two dollars for granting a permit for an immediate marriage; authorizing the formation of a mutual insurance company for county asylums and poorhouses; requiring newspapers in first and second class cities to have a bona fide circulation of ten per cent. of the registered voters before they can bid for official advertising. A resolution was adopted requesting congress to call a constitutional convention to provide for the election of United States senators by direct vote.

In the Assembly.

Madison, Wis., April 15.—Upon reconvening after a recess of 11 days the assembly passed a joint resolution for final adjournment May 2. The judiciary committee introduced a bill abolishing the position of law examiner in the attorney general's office. A substitute bill, introduced by the same committee, provides for a general increase in the salaries of the attorney general and his assistants. It raises the salary of the attorney general from $1,800 to $1,600, that of the assistant attorney general from $1,600 to $1,200, and that of the second assistant attorney general from $1,200 to $1,000. It also provides for combining the positions of messenger and clerk and fixing the salary at $1,000. The first stenographer is to receive a salary of $900 a year and the second stenographer $75 per month for the time the position is filled, which is not to be continuously unless absolutely necessary. The bill is to go into effect at the end of the attorney general's present term. A bill appropriating $200,000 for the maintenance of the state charitable, penal and reformatory institutions was ordered to engrossment, and a bill making the term of office of the state commissioner of labor and industrial statistics six instead of two years, and another, making Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday, were laid over. The senate bill empowering mutual fire insurance companies to operate outside their home counties was adopted.

Madison, Wis., April 16.—The assembly judiciary committee has introduced a bill prohibiting a person against whom a divorce has been granted to marry within a year from the time the decree granting such divorce has been entered. It also prohibits the marriage of nonresidents who come from other states, having such a restrictive law, for the purpose of evading such law, and forbids proscribed persons from going to other states for the purpose of evading the law. Marriages entered into in contravention of this law are declared invalid. A bill has been passed providing for an annual tax of $250,000 for the maintenance of the state normal schools. The bill making Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday was killed by a vote of 46 to 32.

Madison, Wis., April 17.—The assembly committee on state affairs has decided that $50,000 is sufficient for an adequate exhibition of Wisconsin's resources and industries at the St. Louis world's fair.

Madison, Wis., April 18.—In the assembly bills have been introduced providing that no child under 14 years of age shall be employed in any gainful occupation except during the school vacation. Children between the ages of 14 and 16 cannot be employed unless they have a written permit from the state commissioner of labor, factory inspector or judge of the municipal, county or juvenile court; providing for the creation of a reviser of the statutes. The appointee is to receive a salary of $1,000 a year; empowering the state tax commission to equalize assessments on leaf tobacco when complaint is made by any interested party; providing for an appropriation of $150,000 for a state exhibit at the St. Louis world's fair.

Trial Proves Satisfactory.

San Francisco, April 18.—The trial trip of the gunboat Bennington, made to test her new machinery, proved entirely satisfactory. The vessel is now ready for use and will sail in a few days for a cruise on the coast. She will eventually join the Pacific coast squadron, which is now at Magdalena bay.

SCIENCE SIFTINGS.

In consumption, early diagnosis is of great importance. It is now greatly facilitated by the use of X-rays.

A full-sized cigar contains as much as two grains of nicotine, a pipeful of tobacco not more, as a rule, than two-thirds of a grain.

Mummified Egyptian bees, estimated to be 6,000 years old, will be exhibited at the International Agriculture exhibition to be held in Vienna next April.

Dr. Julius Boeckelmann, German physician and scientist, who went to Patagonia eight years ago to study the conditions of the country, says the Patagonians will be extinct in a few years.

When the fire of a heating apparatus is lighted for the first time at the beginning of the cold season, one sometimes notices a most unpleasant smell of ammonia and the like. It seems that large numbers of microbes gather in the pipes during the season of rest, and the warmth causes the organisms to vegetate, and thus a quantity of ammonia is produced.

CALLED IT A BATTLE SONG.

It May Have Been an "Ave Maria," But the Painter Couldn't Think So.

Guests at musical parties are not commonly expected to be especially attentive. They may talk to any extent, dependent largely on the amiability of their hosters. But the conduct of a foreign painter in New York surprised his hostess the other night. It also surprised the guests at this entertainment given in his honor. He was seated in the front row, and was the most conspicuous person in the room next to the popular contralto, who had just begun to sing. Before she had finished the first verse the guest of honor arose, walked to his hostess, said good night, and prepared to leave, relates the New York Sun.

"But you won't go now in the midst of her song," said the hostess. "It is an 'Ave Maria.' It would embarrass her terribly."

By this time all eyes were turned on the painter, but he seemed quite indifferent.

"She may call it an 'Ave Maria,'" he said, "I should say it was a battle song."

With that comment the painter left the house. He has not been allowed to enter it again.

A Sudden Drop.

"Yep," said Dakota Dan, resting his glass on the bar, "he pretended to be a friend of mine, but he wasn't. Last summer he done me a dirty, sneakin' trick—sold me a saddle that wasn't his'n, and I had to give it up."

"I suppose you were not very friendly with him after that?"

"Nope—I dropped him then and thar. His widder married the sheriff last week."—Kansas City Journal.

"They Waited" and "Saw."

Warren's Corners, N. Y., April 20th.—"Wait and see—you're better now, of course, but the cure won't last."

This was what the doctors said to Mr. A. B. Smith, of this place. These doctors had been treating him for years, and he got no better. They thought that nothing could permanently cure him. He says:

"My kidneys seemed to be so large that there wasn't room for them, and at times it seemed as if ten thousand needles were running through them. I could not sleep on my left side for years, the pain was so great in that position I had to get up many times to urinate, and my urine was sometimes clear and white as spring water, and again it would be high colored and would stain my linen. The pain across my back was awful. I was terribly hungry all the time.

"After I had taken Dodd's Kidney Pills for four days my kidneys pained me so bad I could hardly sit down. On the morning of the fifth day I felt some better, and the improvement continued till I was completely cured.

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Contagious Only.

"This fishin' fever seems to be contagious," said the stranger, noting the long row of anglers perched upon the creek bank.

"Yes, it's contagious, all right," said the man who had been fishing four hours without a nibble, "but not ketchin'."—Baltimore American.

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Experience is a keen knife that hurts, while it extracts the cataract that blinds.—De Ramel.

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A fool is wise, after a pattern of his own.—Chicago Daily News.

"POOR DIGESTION LANGUID AND TIRED."

[An Interesting Letter Concerning Pe-ru-na.]

Miss Della Janveau, Globe Hotel, Ottawa, Ont., is from one of the oldest and best known French Canadian families in Canada. In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, she says:

"Last spring my blood seemed clogged up, my digestion poor, my head ached and I felt languid and tired all the time. My physician prescribed for me, but a friend advised me to try Peruna. I tried it and am pleased to state that I found it a wonderful cleanser and purifier of the system. In three weeks I was like a new woman, my appetite had increased, I felt buoyant, light and happy without an ache or pain. Peruna is a reliable family medicine."

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Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

He Wasn't a Cheese.

The physicians were holding a consultation beside the cot of the man supposed to have appendicitis concealed about his person.

"I believe," said one of the surgeons, "that we should wait and let him get stronger before cutting into him."

Before the other prospective operators could reply the patient turned his head and remarked feebly: "What do you take me for—a cheese?"—Baltimore American.

The Longest Sentence.

A schoolmaster was giving his class a lesson in grammar when he asked the boys to tell him the longest sentence they had ever read. There was silence for a minute or two, but at last a small boy stood up and said he could remember the longest sentence he had ever read.

"Well, Tommy," said the teacher, "what is it?"

"Imprisonment for life," replied the boy.—N. Y. Tribune.

A Barrier.

"What have you in the way of beefsteak to day?" asked the cheerful customer, who hadn't paid his bill.

"Well," replied the frank butcher, "I reckon about the only thing in the way is its price."—Baltimore News.

Tired of It.—Visitor—"O, what a fine parrot you've got! Pretty Polly! Polly want a cracker?" Parrot—"O, come off! I'm not as green as I look."—Chicago Tribune.

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COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

(Official Publication.)

The following report of Committee on Sheriff and Justice accounts was read:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wis.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on sheriff and justice accounts beg leave to report that we have examined the following bills referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed.

A. W. BROWN, JAS. G. DUNN, OLAF GOLDSTRAND, } Com.

Dated February 11, 1905.

No.	Name	Nature of Claim	Amount Claimed	Amount Allowed
1	M. Kearns	Sheriff's fees	$21 02	$21 02
2	M. Kearns	" "	47 91	47 91
3	M. Kearns	Board of prisoners	8 55	8 05
4	S. Kelley	Sheriff fees	10 72	10 72
5	S. Kelley	Board of prisoners	80 15	78 65
6	S. Kelley	Stamps	50	50
7	S. Kelley	Telephone service	5 50	5 50
8	S. Kelley	Sheriff fees	11 95	11 95
9	S. Kelley	" "	43 45	43 45
10	F. M. Mason	Justice fees	13 33	13 33
11	H. Graef	Jurors fees	2 72	2 20
12	John Meyer	" "	2 72	2 20
13	Fred Briese	" "	2 72	2 20
14	Aug. Briese	" "	2 72	2 20
15	Fred Boriuski	" "	2 72	2 20
16	R. Koentz	" "	2 72	2 20
17	M. Murawski	Witness fees	1 10	1 10
18	J. S. Keggs	" "	1 10	1 10
19	John Kevun	" "	1 10	1 10
20	Jas. Boyle	" "	1 10	1 10
21	Chas. Kibben	Jurors fees	58	58
22	B. L. Horr	" "	58	58
23	Geo. Fessel	" "	58	58
24	Tom P. McDermott	" "	58	58
25	Geo. Ames	" "	58	58
26	Jas. Lawlis	" "	58	58
27	B. R. Lewis	" "	50	50
28	Fred T. Coon	" "	50	50
29	G. C. Pingry	" "	50	50
30	M. Lewis	" "	50	50
31	C. E. Guyette	" "	50	50
32	Carrie F. Jerauquist	" "	58	58
33	Emily Jerauquist	Witness fees	58	58
34	A. C. Bitch	" "	83	83
35	James Donnelly	" "	4 72	4 48
36	Peter Kerum	" "	4 72	4 48
37	Jerry Grant	" "	4 72	4 48
38	Wm. Powers	" "	4 72	4 48
39	Joseph Dussette	" "	4 72	4 48
40	Gust. Huebus	" "	5 60	5 60
41	Frank Federer	" "	4 72	4 48
42	F. S. Campbell	" "	4 72	4 48
43	Otto Bock	" "	4 72	4 48
44	John Koska	" "	4 72	4 48
45	Ben Boden	" "	4 72	4 48
46	Gust. Schwartz	" "	4 72	4 48
47	Henry Geuster	" "	4 72	4 48
48	B. M. Cook	" "	4 72	4 48
49	Herman Berg	" "	4 72	4 48
50	Dunn & Wood	Repairs for jail	7 25	7 25
51	Thos. Innes	Bath room fixtures Co. jail	65 00	65 00
52	Mat. Murphy	Constable fees	2 20	2 20
53	John Kennedy	" "	5 70	5 70
54	John Meikalski	Justice fees	1 21	1 21
55	Aug. Palubski	Constable fees	19 90	Laid over
56	Henry Wagner	" "	13 50	for further information
57	Eugene Gawhier	Sheriff fees	20 00	20 00
58	H. Lewis	Mdse.	2 10	Referred to board
59	L. J. Billings	Ser. insane	10 00	10 00
60	S. Kelley	Sheriff fees	4 25	4 25
61	James Farley	Constable fees	2 10	2 10
62	W. D. Carnagry	Sheriff fees	12 50	6 00
63	John Meikalski	Justice fees	3 00	Laid over to be itemized
64	John Meikalski	" "	3 21	Same

Moved by Supervisor Moran and seconded by Supervisor Croft the report be adopted as read and the chairman and clerk instructed to draw orders for same as allowed in said report. Carried. All of the supervisors voting aye.

The following report of committee on poor and pauper accounts was read:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wis.:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on poor and pauper accounts beg leave to report that they have examined the following bills referred to them and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed.

EDW. B. CROFOOT, H. GRAEF, } Com.

Dated February 10, 1905.

No.	Name	Nature of Claim	Amount Claimed	Amount Allowed
1	F. A. Hilderbrand	Undertaking, etc.	$ 27 75	$ 27 75
2	Solberg & Kolden	Mdse.	12 45	12 45
3	H. L. Garner	Ser.	10 00	10 00
4	St. Mary's Hospital	Board and nursing extad	60 00	60 00
5	J. N. White	Mdse.	5 00	5 00
6	E. C. Vessey	"	5 00	5 00
7	Emil Cuenin	Hay for poor farm	32 95	32 95
8	W. D. Joslin	Livery	2 50	2 50
9	Town of Schoepke	Medical attendance for family of Ed. Mann while quarantined	25 00	Referred Com. whole
10	J. N. White	Mdse.	5 00	5 00
11	Shannon & Nelson	"	13 97	13 97
12	B. L. Horr	"	25 65	25 65
13	Hans Anderson	"	67 46	67 46
14	Spafford & Cole	"	18 00	18 00
15	Spafford & Cole	"	12 10	12 10
16	Spafford & Cole	"	85	85

Moved by Supervisor Brown and seconded by Supervisor Goldstrand that the report be adopted as read, and the chairman and clerk instructed to issue orders for same as allowed in said report. Carried. All of the supervisors voting aye.

On motion claim No. 9 of poor and pauper accounts was referred to district attorney.

The following report of committee on general claims was read:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wis.:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on general claims beg leave to report that they have examined the following bills referred to them and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed.

EDW. B. CROFOOT, HENRY GRAEF, HENRY WERNER, } Com.

Dated February 11, 1905.

No.	Name	Nature of Claim	Amount Claimed	Amount Allowed
1	Elliott & Hatch Typewriter Co.	Book typewriter	$175 00	Disallowed
2	F. Bibby	Carpenter work	65 63	65 63
3	J. G. Dunn	Com. work	6 00	6 00
4	Olaf Goldstrand	" "	6 00	6 00
5	Mabel P. Carr	Assisting Com.	11 00	Referred to board
6	B. L. Horr	Mdse.	90	
7	Spafford & Cole	"	1 95	1 95
8	W. W. Carr	Sundries	15 75	15 75
9	Myra Germond	Services	28 50	Referred to Dist. Atty.
10	City of Rhinelander	Hydrant rental	40 00	40 00
11	J. L. McLaughlin	Mdse. for vault	2 00	2 00
12	W. B. La Selle	Com. work	60 00	60 00
13	Lincoln Co. Land Co.	Land sold to which Co. has no title	85 16	85 16
14	Barnes & Weesner	Treasurer and clerks bonds	222 50	222 50
15	John Barnes	Services	22 50	22 50
16	H. Niedecken Co.	Records	92 25	92 25
17	Green, Fairchild, North & Parker	Services	171 75	96 75
18	W. H. Trautvoll	Printing	26 10	26 10
19	W. D. Joslin	Livery	6 00	Referred to Dist. Atty.
20	W. W. Carr	One days ser. and ex.	4 40	4 40
21	W. D. Harrigan	Brick and cement	2 13	2 13
22	W. D. Harrigan	" " "	2 46	2 46
23	J. G. Dunn	Ser. on canvassing board	6 00	6 00
24	Brown Bros. Lbr. Co.	Lumber	41 91	41 91
25	F. A. Hilderbrand	Repairing	2 50	2 50
26	J. G. Dunn	Freight and drayage	1 90	1 90
27	Barnes & Weesner	Insurance	125 00	125 00
28	S. S. Miller	"	88 05	88 05
29	S. B. Stone	Reporting births and deaths	26 85	26 85
30	W. D. Neville	" "	25	20
31	Gust. Swedburg	" "	2 60	2 60
32	A. L. Taylor	" "	25	25
33	F. M. Mason	" "	1 75	1 75
34	L. D. Hayford	" "	25	25
35	Mrs. Yost	" "	25	25
36	Mrs. Seiz	" "	25	25
37	S. M. B. Smith	" " and deaths	50	50
38	Mrs. Turney	" "	25	25
39	H. L. Garner	" "	25	25
40	C. D. Packard	" " and deaths	16 00	16 00
41	Jeanette Porter	" "	12 75	12 75
42	F. L. Hinman	" " and deaths	6 00	6 00
43	T. B. Welch	" " " "	9 00	9 00
44	Chas. Decanter	" "	50	50
45	A. D. Daniels	" births and deaths	1 75	1 75
46	T. B. McIndoe	" " " "	4 50	4 50
47	J. L. McLaughlin	Recording births, marriages and deaths	120 99	120 99
48	H. Graef	Com. Work	11 40	11 40
49	E. B. Crofoot	" "	15 80	15 80
50	J. W. & D. W. Emerson	Land sold to which Co. has no title	222 55	222 55
51	S. H. Ashton	Stationery (Records)	51 25	51 25
52	S. H. Ashton	"	48 00	48 00
53	J. G. Dunn	Mdse.	18 15	18 15
54	W. D. Neville	Medical attendance during quarantine	165 00	Referred
55	J. M. Douglass	Assisting Com.	20 00	Com. Whole

On motion general claims Nos. 5 and 55 were laid over.

On motion general claims Nos. 54 and 19 were laid over.

Moved by Supervisor Moran and seconded by Supervisor Goldstrand that the report of the committee be adopted and the chairman and clerk be instructed to draw orders for same as allowed. Carried. All of the supervisors voting aye.

The following report of committee on illegal taxes was read:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wis.:

Gentlemen:—Your committee on illegal taxes beg leave to report that they have examined the following bills and petitions referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed.

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